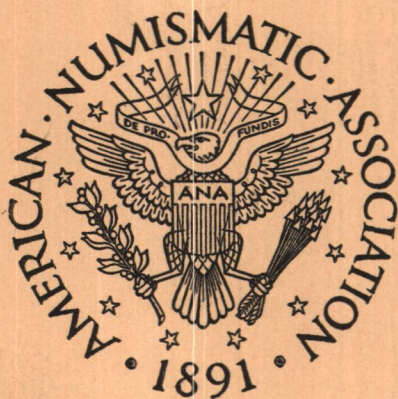


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SWISS SHOOTING FESTIVAL MEDALS AND TALERS

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SWITZERLAND'S shooting festival medals and talers have received only casual study and have aroused only moderate interest, but as collectors turn more and more to Europe, these commemorative pieces are coming into their own. My object is to enlighten American numismatists of their existence and share the knowledge of their history which I have been able to gather on my visits to that beautiful and friendly country.

As an aftermath of the Napoleonic wars, Swiss patriots sought to strengthen the confederation by whatever means possible. One outgrowth of this was the formation of a society of riflemen on a federal basis, which was proposed at the cantonal Aargau shooting match in 1822. The first shooting festival promoted by the society was held June 7 to 12, 1824, and attracted citizens from all the cantons.

Switzerland is widely known for these shooting festivals, or matches, but very little has been written about the medals commemorating these events. These festivals can be classed as follows: Federal, cantonal, inter-cantonal, navigational, officers, grenadiers, carbineers, and even boys shooting festivals. Some of these matches were exclusive, some were invitational, and the federal matches were open to everyone.

Usually small badges were given each contestant to be worn for identification. The large 45 mm. bronze and silver medals, issued to commemorate these festivals, were sold to the general public attending the matches. Prizes for the best marksmen usually were solid silver and silver plated shooting festival trophy cups. Side betting added zest and sharpened competition among participants.

THE MEDALS

The shooting festival medals were struck in sizes ranging from 41 mm. to 48 mm., the standard size apparently being 45 mm. Weight ranged from 36 grams to 42 grams, the average being 38½ grams for the silver medals and 40 grams for the bronze medals. About 100 types and varieties are known to have been issued. These medals were struck in silver, bronze, aluminum, tin, and even lead. Small

numbers were struck in goldene, but these are quite rare.

These shooting festivals had a heavy impact on the Swiss public from about 1827 to 1907, enjoying their greatest popularity between 1886 and 1906. Starting in 1827, the Swiss government began sanctioning, or sponsoring, many of these shooting festivals, issuing five franc talers to commemorate the event, much as the United States government minted commemorative half dollars. During these earlier periods, and even now to a lesser degree, larger sized medals (45 mm. to 50 mm.) were issued to commemorate these events.

The average mintage of the medals ranged from 400 to as high as 2,500, but to my knowledge, only three or four of the federal matches pieces exceeded 2,500, and none ever exceeded 5,600 struck. In many cases the bronze issue was only half, sometimes less, than the silver issue. Many of the matches issued no bronze medals at all. In a few cases these medals were struck in plaquette form, but this was unusual and these isolated plaquette medals are quite rare.

The high quality craftsmanship and the artistry of Switzerland's old masters have been imparted to these medals, placing them in a class of their own, second to none in design and workmanship. It is not unusual to see William Tell and his son, the great warriors of Switzerland's past, her outstanding generals, and other notables engraved on these medals.

The obverse of these medals usually depict a woman signifying peace or Switzerland; or a warrior signifying strength and courage. Others carry engravings memorializing Switzerland's historic battles. A number of renowned engravers were responsible for these beautiful medals: Hugues Bovy, J. Stauffacher, C. Richard, F. Landry, E. Lossier, E. Durussel, C. Theiler, H. Jenny, and the Hugenin brothers.

Today a fair representation of varieties may be had in about uncirculated and brilliant uncirculated condition for nominal sums, considering the limited mintage, plus the fact these medals average 60 to 80 years in age. A collection of 20 or 25 of the silver medals, or 10 or 12 matched pairs of

the silver and bronze issues, present a pleasing sight. The average price of the silver medals is \$17 to \$20 and the bronze \$9.50 to \$12, depending upon their scarcity.

Mintage records are available for several festivals, but in a majority of cases mint records are lacking. The reason is that mints which struck these medals were lax in their accounting and record keeping, their owner-managers feeling no need for keeping precise records. This was explained to me by one of the Hugenin brothers, of the famous firm still operating a private mint in Le Locle, Neuchatel, Switzerland, and responsible for many of the early masterpieces and doing much of today's engraving and striking of Swiss commemorative medals.

M. Hugenin pointed out another fact that should be remembered: Many of these medals remained unsold after the close of the matches, and were dumped back into the crucible, to be used for the next issue. Another even lesser known fact is related to the great Swiss watch industry. When an American company contracts for an order of Swiss watches, the work is parceled out among many villages throughout Switzerland, each village making a different part, to be assembled into

complete watch works. Most of this work is done in winter, when villages frequently become snowbound—cut off from all contact with neighboring villages and cooperating watchmakers in the neighboring villages. In such instances, when materials are lacking, it is a simple matter to gather up a bunch of these medals and melt them down for their silver content, to be used in the watchmaking contract at hand. This is what happened to the French heavy ecus, that were counter-stamped during the 1816-1819 period of Swiss history.

While visiting in Switzerland, I was fortunate enough to have access to the complete 11 volumes of the Swiss Numismatic Society's records, dating from 1891 to 1905, and from these I gleaned existing figures on the mintages of these medals. I submit here the records of dates and mintages of these medals which I have been able to assemble. I hope they will be of help to those who possess some of these medals, and also to those who are thinking of starting a collection before it is too late to acquire them in desirable condition.

The following list does not include all of Switzerland's shooting festival medals, but only those I have in my collection, or those I know exist in some quantity and possibly are available.

Check List of Medals

N. R. means "no records."

1. **AARGAU.** 1849, 37 mm., 24 grams. Mintage: silver 1200. (scarce) Also a medal of taler weight.

2. **AARGAU.** (Bremgarten) 1861, 45 mm., 38½ grams. Mintage: silver N. R., bronze N. R. (scarce)

3. **AARGAU.** (Bremgarten) 1891, 45 mm., 39 grams. Mintage: silver N. R., bronze N. R. (very scarce)

4. **AARGAU** (Baden) 1896, 45 mm., 38½ grams. Mintage: silver 850, bronze 450 (scarce)

5. **AARGAU.** (Ennetmoos) 1898, 45 mm., 38½ grams. Mintage: silver N. R., bronze (?) N. R.

6. **AARGAU.** (Wohlen) 1899, 45 mm., 38 grams. Mintage: silver N. R., bronze N. R. (uncommon)

7. **AARGAU.** (Zofingen) 1900, 38 mm., 20 grams. Mintage: silver only (?) (rare)

8. **AARGAU.** (Brugg) 1902, 32 mm., (?) grams. Mintage: silver N. R., bronze N. R. (uncommon)

9. **APPENZELL.** (Teufin) 1905, 45 mm., 38½ grams. Mintage: silver N. R., bronze N. R. (scarce)

10. **APPENZELL.** (Herisau) 1903, 45 mm., 37 grams. Mintage: silver, bronze. (uncommon)

11. **BASEL.** 1844, 37 mm., 38½ grams. Mintage: silver 2500, bronze 2500, goldene very few. (scarce)

12. **BASEL.** (Binningen) 1893, 45 mm., 38½ grams. Mintage: silver 701, bronze, very few. (scarce)



Medal No. 37



Medal No. 65A



Medal No. 89

13. **BASEL.** (Sissach) 1897, 45 mm., 38½ grams. Mintage: silver N.R., bronze (?) N.R. (scarce)

14. **BERN.** (Langenthal) 1822, 47 mm., 33 grams. Mintage: silver, bronze. (very scarce)

15. **BERN.** (Langenthal - officers festival) 1828, 46 mm., 46 grams. Mintage: silver N.R., bronze N.R. (rare)

16. **BERN.** 1885, 41 mm., 29½ grams. Mintage: silver N.R., bronze N.R. (rare)

17. **BERN.** (Interlaken) 1888, 45 mm., 36 grams. Mintage: silver N.R., bronze N.R. (uncommon)
18. **BERN.** (Burgdorf) 1891, 45 mm., 38 grams. Mintage: silver N.R., bronze N.R. (scarce)
19. **BERN.** (Biel) 1893, 45 mm., 39½ grams. Mintage: silver 1144, bronze 800 (uncommon)
20. **BERN.** (Thun) 1894, 45 mm., 39 grams. Mintage: silver 1452, bronze 724 (uncommon)
21. **BERN.** 1897, 45 mm., 39 grams. Mintage: silver, bronze. (uncommon)
22. **BERN.** (Flobart) 1899, 40 mm., 30 grams. Mintage: silver 152, bronze 50. (very rare)
23. **BERN.** (St. Imier) 1900, 45 mm., 39½ grams. Mintage: silver N.R., bronze N.R. (fairly common)
24. **BERN.** 1903, 44 mm., 39 grams. Mintage: silver N.R. (scarce)
25. **BERN.** (Langnau) 1906, 46 mm., 38 grams. Mintage: silver N.R. (scarce)
26. **BERN.** (Delemont) 1909, 45 mm., 38½ grams. Mintage: silver 320. (very scarce)
27. **FRIBOURG.** 1906, 33 mm., 27 grams. Mintage: silver 300. (very scarce)
28. **GENEVA.** 1848, 10 Fr. Mintage: silver 385. (very rare)
29. **GENEVA.** 1815-1851, 38 mm., 24 grams. Mintage: silver (?) (very scarce) This is a medal of taler weight and was used as a taler.
30. **GENEVA.** 1851, 10 Fr. Mintage: silver 678. (very rare)
31. **GENEVA.** (Navigation) 1875, 45 mm., 37 grams. Mintage: silver (?) (scarce)
32. **GENEVA.** (Carabineers) 1877, 41 mm., 31 grams. Mintage: silver (?) (scarce)
33. **GENEVA.** (Officers) 1879, 45½ mm., 43 grams. Mintage: silver (?) (scarce)
34. **GENEVA.** 1881, 42 mm., 38 grams. Mintage: silver (?) (uncommon)
35. **GENEVA.** (Carabineers) 1882, 43 mm., (?) grams. Mintage: silver (?) (uncommon)
36. **GENEVA.** (Carabineers) 1883, 43 mm., (?) grams. Mintage: silver (?) (uncommon)
37. **GENEVA.** (Federal) 1887, 45 mm., 39 grams. Mintage: silver 3903, bronze 4354. (fairly common)
38. **GENEVA.** 1892, 47 mm., 56 grams. Mintage: silver N.R., bronze N.R. (uncommon)
39. **GENEVA.** (Navigation) 1895, 48 mm., 43 grams. Mintage: silver 210, bronze 230. (very scarce)
40. **GENEVA.** 1896, 47 mm., 39 grams. Mintage: silver 966, bronze 1202. (fairly common)
41. **GENEVA.** (Federal) 1913, 45 mm., 38 grams. Mintage: silver (?) N.R.
42. **GLARUS.** 1892, 45 mm., 38½ grams. Mintage: silver N.R., bronze N.R. (fairly common); goldene, very few. (scarce)
43. **GRAUBUNDEN.** (Davos) 1890, 37 mm., 29 grams. Mintage: silver N.R. (scarce)
44. **LUCERNE.** 1853, 41 mm., 33 grams. Mintage: silver 2000. (very scarce) Medal of taler weight.
45. **LUCERNE.** (Central) 1889, 45 mm., 39½ grams. Mintage: silver N.R., bronze N.R. (uncommon)
46. **LUCERNE.** (Cantonal) 1894, 45 mm., 39 grams. Mintage: silver 800, bronze 200. (rare)
47. **LUCERNE.** (Kriens) 1899, 38 mm., (?) grams. Mintage: silver N.R. (not many)

48. **LUCERNE.** 1901, 45 mm., 36 grams. Mintage: silver N.R. (fairly common)
49. **NEUCHATEL.** (De Fonds) 1886, 46 mm., 36 grams. Mintage: silver N.R., bronze N.R. (fairly common)
50. **NEUCHATEL.** (Le Locle) 1892, 45 mm., 39 grams. Mintage: silver 705, bronze 603. (very scarce)
- 50A. **NEUCHATEL.** (Le Locle) 1892, 45 mm., 70 grams. Mintage: goldene, very few. (very scarce)
51. **NEUCHATEL.** (Federal) 1898, 45 mm., 38 grams. Mintage: silver N.R. (scarce)
52. **NEUCHATEL.** 1902, 44 mm., 36 grams. Mintage: silver N.R. (scarce)
53. **NIDWALDEN.** (Hergiswil) 1901, 46 mm., 39 grams. Mintage: silver N.R. (scarce) Note: Nidwalden is one of the half cantons into which Unterwalden is divided. The other is Obwalden.
54. **NIDWALDEN.** (XX) 1905, 34 mm., 20 grams. Mintage: silver N.R. (very scarce)
55. **OBWALDEN.** (Engelberg) 1899, 45 mm., 38 grams. Mintage: silver N.R., bronze (?) N.R. (uncommon) Note: Obwalden is one of the half cantons into which Unterwalden is divided. The other is Nidwalden.
56. **ST. GALLEN.** (Ebnat-Kappel) 1891, 45 mm., 38½ grams. Mintage: silver N.R., bronze N.R. (uncommon)
57. **ST. GALLEN.** 1895, 45 mm., 38½ grams. Mintage: silver 800, bronze very few. (rare)
58. **ST. GALLEN.** 1904, 46 x 63 mm., (?) grams. Mintage: silver N.R. (very scarce)
59. **SCHWYZ.** (Einsiedeln) 1889, 46 mm., 39 grams. Mintage: silver N.R., bronze N.R. (uncommon)
60. **SCHWYZ.** (Küssnacht) 1902, 45 mm., 35½ grams. Mintage: silver N.R., bronze N.R. (scarce)
61. **SOLOTHURN.** 1890, 45 mm., 39 grams. Mintage: silver N.R., bronze N.R. (uncommon)
62. **SOLOTHURN.** 1895, 45 mm., 39 grams. Mintage: silver 700, bronze 300. (very scarce)
63. **SOLOTHURN.** (Olten) 1897, 45 mm., 39 grams. Mintage: silver N.R., bronze N.R. (uncommon)
64. **SOLOTHURN.** (Olten) 1906, 45 mm., 38 grams. Mintage: silver 505. (scarce)
65. **THURGAU.** (Frauenfeld) 1890, 45 mm., 38 grams. Mintage: silver 5760, bronze 4500. (fairly common)
- 65A. **THURGAU.** (Frauenfeld) 1890, 45 mm., 69½ grams. Mintage: goldene, very few. (very rare)
66. **THURGAU.** (Amrisweil) 1900, 45 mm., 34½ grams. Mintage: silver N.R. (scarce)
67. **TICINO.** (Locarno) 1880, 45 mm., 39½ grams. Mintage: silver N.R. (very scarce)
68. **TICINO.** (Bellinzona) 1882, 40 mm., 38 grams. Mintage: silver N.R., bronze N.R. (very scarce)
69. **TICINO.** (Mendrisio) 1889, 45½ mm., 37½ grams. Mintage: silver N.R., bronze N.R. (scarce)
70. **TICINO.** (Lugano) 1891, 40 mm., 29 grams. Mintage: silver N.R., bronze (?) N.R. (very scarce)
71. **TICINO.** (Lugano) 1904, 45 mm., 38½ grams. Mintage: silver N.R., bronze N.R. (scarce)
72. **VAUD.** (Lausanne) 1876, 41 mm., (?) grams. Mintage: silver N.R. (scarce)
73. **VAUD.** (Morges) 1891, 45 mm., 39 grams. Mintage: silver N.R., bronze N.R. (uncommon)
74. **VAUD.** (Lausanne) 1894, 45 mm., 39 grams. Mintage: silver 1000, bronze 880. (scarce)

75. **NEUCHATEL.** 1898, 45 mm., 38 grams. Mintage: silver 3009, bronze 2000. (fairly common)
76. **VAUD.** (Lausanne Grenadiers) 1816-1898, 48 mm., 39 grams. Mintage: silver 218. (very scarce)
77. **VAUD.** (Yverdon) 1899, 45 mm., 38 grams. Mintage: silver N.R., bronze N.R. (very scarce)
78. **VAUD.** (Lausanne Carabineers) 1900, 50 mm., (?) grams. Mintage: silver 218, bronze 218. (rare)
79. **ZUG.** 1827, 40½ mm., (?) grams. Mintage: silver. (very rare) This is a medal of taler weight.
80. **ZUG.** 1902, 45 mm., 33½ grams. Mintage: silver N.R. (scarce)
81. **ZURICH.** 1852, 49 mm., 51 grams. Mintage: silver N.R. (very scarce)
82. **ZURICH.** 1854, 54 mm., (?) grams. Mintage: bronze N.R. (very scarce)
83. **ZURICH.** (City) 1865, 54 mm., 81 grams. Mintage: silver N.R. (very scarce)
84. **ZURICH.** (Winterthur) 1891, 45 mm., 39 grams. Mintage: silver N.R., bronze N.R. (uncommon)
85. **ZURICH.** (City) 1892, 48 mm., 49½ grams. Mintage: silver N.R., bronze N.R. (scarce)
86. **ZURICH.** 1892, 45 mm., 39 grams. Mintage: silver N.R.
87. **ZURICH.** (Cantonal) 1893, 35 mm., 20 grams. Mintage: silver N.R., bronze (?) N.R. (scarce)
88. **ZURICH.** 1893, 35 mm., 27 grams. Mintage: silver 1200, bronze, very few. (very scarce)
89. **ZURICH.** (Winterthur) 1895, 45 mm., 38 grams. Mintage: silver N.R., bronze N.R. (uncommon)
90. **ZURICH.** (Uster) 1900, 45 mm., 36 grams. Mintage: silver N.R., bronze (?) N.R. (uncommon)
91. **ZURICH.** (Winterthur) 1902, 45 mm., 36 grams. Mintage: silver N.R., bronze (?) N.R. (uncommon)
92. **MISCELLANEOUS,** 1886, 43 mm., 39 grams. Mintage: silver. Commemorates 500th anniversary of Battle of Sempach.

THE TALERS

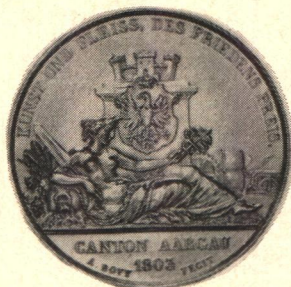
The Swiss government's five franc talers mentioned above first were minted in 1827. A complete collection of these beauties comprises only 22 dates. As yet they are not priced "out of sight," but soon will be avidly sought. With their low mintages, they will prove a very sound investment.

These talers usually depict on the obverse a scene commemorating some Swiss battle, the reverse commemorating the festival for which it was struck. In my studies of the Swiss

shooting talers, I have concluded that, to the 17 talers listed by most writers, five more dates should be added. These particular pieces were issued in taler weight, and in many instances, over the years, were used as money, on an equal basis with the talers of that time. Many reference books list several of these as talers, or medals of taler weight. I firmly believe they should be listed as talers. For the present, in the following list, I include them as medals of taler weight.

Check List of Talers

1. **ZUG.** 1827 taler, sometimes called a medal. Mintage unknown. (very rare).
2. **GRAUBUNDEN.** 1842 four franken. Mintage 6,000.
3. **BASEL.** 1844 medal of taler weight. (very scarce)
4. **GLARUS.** 1847 forty batzen, 3,200 minted. (scarce)
5. **AARGAU.** 1849 medal of taler weight. Very few minted. (very scarce)
6. **GENEVA.** 1851 medal of taler weight. Mintage unknown. (scarce)
7. **LUCERNE.** 1853 medal of taler weight. Mintage unknown. (rare)



Taler No. 5



Taler No. 18



Taler No. 22

8. SOLOTHURN. 1855 five francs. Mintage 3,000. (very scarce)
9. BERN. 1857 five francs. Mintage 5,195.
10. ZURICH. 1859 five francs. Mintage 6,000.
11. STANZ NIDWALDEN. 1861 five francs. Mintage 6,000.
12. LA CHAUX DE FONDS. 1863 five francs. Mintage 6,000.
13. SCHAFFHAUSEN. 1865 five francs. Mintage 10,000.
14. SCHWYZ. 1867 five francs. Mintage 6,000.
15. ZUG. 1869 five francs. Mintage 6,000.
16. ZURICH. 1872 five francs. Mintage 10,000.
17. ST. GALLEN. 1874 five francs. Mintage 15,000.
18. LAUSANNE. 1876 five francs. Mintage 30,000.
19. BASEL. 1879 five francs. Mintage 30,000.
20. FRIBOURG. 1881 five francs. Mintage 30,000.
21. LUGANO. 1883 five francs. Mintage 30,000.
22. BERN. 1885 five francs. Mintage 25,000.

AN OPEN LETTER

Miss Eva B. Adams
Director of the Mint
Washington, D. C.
Dear Miss Adams:

We see your picture and read your statements and comments in the press quite often nowadays. We like this and hope it continues, because we like you and because your press releases and interviews help keep us better informed about the country's coinage. We don't expect you to perform miracles for the benefit of coin collectors, but are happy to know that you understand us and our wishes and problems pretty well.

Perhaps you can't always say publicly everything you believe and would like to express. But if and when you feel it is proper, please tell folks that those treasury coin problems so often blamed on "coin collectors" are not caused by coin collectors at all. As you know, a true collector almost never needs more than two identical coins. The people who have taken your coins out of circulation by the roll and bag do not, in most cases, deserve to be called coin collectors. They are noncollectors who hope to make a profit by investing, speculating, and hoarding the coins you made for people to spend.

Now, we are not mad at them, but we don't like to have our good name used as a fence to hide behind, or as a deodorant for a bad smelling but more fitting term. So please, when you get the chance, tell people that your coins are being taken from circulation by mercenary minded people who prefer to be called "coin collectors" rather than hoarders or profiteers.

Respectfully yours

— GLENN B. SMEDLEY
A.N.A. LM 296

TREASURY BLOCKS SILVER DOLLAR RUN

Douglas Dillon, secretary of the treasury, has announced that henceforth silver certificates will be redeemed only in silver bullion. This followed the crush of unruly speculators demanding silver dollars the latter part of March. The remaining supply of about 3 million silver dollars has been frozen in the treasury building basement in Washington.

In halting the sale of silver dollars Secretary Dillon explained that virtually all of the 3 million remaining in the treasury rooms have special numismatic value. He expressed the thought they could not be "equitably distributed" by exchanging them for silver certificates. Moreover, he said, their release would not add materially to the supply of circulating coins, since these dollars with special numismatic value would be absorbed by dealers and collectors.

He offered a faint hope they might be fed gradually into the normal money supply of certain western states where the circulation of silver dollars has been traditional.

In providing for silver certificate redemption in bullion only, the secretary ruled that holders of silver certificates may exchange them for silver bullion at the rate of \$1.292929292 an ounce at the New York and San Francisco assay offices — not at the treasury. The certificate holder will get, in lieu of a silver dollar, a little paper envelope containing some gray, powdered silver. It will weigh just what the silver in a dollar weighed.

While silver dollars have not been minted since 1935, usually well informed congressional circles expect western senators to press for new coinage authorization at this session of Congress.

Paper Currency for Yemen — The recently established Yemen currency board has put into circulation paper money in denominations of 1, 5, and 10 rials. This is the first time that paper currency has circulated in Yemen. The value of the paper rial is the same as that of the gold rial (\$2.75).

NEW OR RECENT ISSUES

By

ERNST KRAUS, LM 129

It is the important duty of *The Numismatist* to record and illustrate new coins. To accomplish this, members in the United States and abroad are invited to submit new issues to Ernst Kraus, Apt. A, 1501 E. Mt. Airy Ave., Philadelphia 50, Pa. Coins will be photographed and returned as soon as possible, and a credit line will be given to anyone assisting.

AUSTRIA



50 Schillings, 1964. Silver. Obverse: Skier in jumping position, in the background, the Austrian Alps, emblem of the Olympics, 5 interlocked rings, above. Legend around: IX. OLYMPISCHE WINTER SPIELE 1964. INNSBRUCK. Reverse: Numerals 50 in center ring, surrounded by nine shields SCHILLING below. Legend around outer circle: REPUBLIK OSTERREICH. Inscription around the edge: FUENFZIG SCHILLING (value). (R. S. Yeoman, Richard Bareuther, L. Benson.)

CANADA

1 Dollar, 1964. Silver. Obverse: Head of queen, right, legend around: ELIZABETH II. DEI GRATIA REGINA. Reverse: In center: the emblems of the four major national groups, who formed the confederation: French fleur-de-lis, Irish shamrock, Scottish thistle and the English rose. Around the circle: CHARLOTTETOWN QUEBEC and the initials of the designer D.V. for Dinko Vodan-

ovic. CANADA on top, DOLLAR on bottom, dates at left: 1864, at right 1964.



Reeded edge. (Jack Friedberg, Gimbel's Coin Dept.)

CZECHOSLOVAKIA



3 Haleru, 1963. Aluminum. Obverse: Arms in center, legend around: CESKO-SLOVENSKA SOCIALISTICKA REPUBLIKA. Reverse: value within wreath, star on top. Plain edge.



5 Haleru, 1962. Aluminum. Similar

to above except for size and value. Plain edge.



25 Haleru, 1963. Aluminum. Similar to above except for size and value. Reeded edge. (Lauren Benson)

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC



25 Centavos, 1963. Silver. Obverse: Liberty head, left as on previous issues, date below, value at left, weight $6\frac{1}{4}$ GRAMOS at right. Reverse: Arms in center, dates below: 1863-1963. Legend around: IER CENTENARIO DE LA RESTAURACION DE LA REPUBLICA. Reeded edge. Struck to commemorate the centennial of the restoration of the republic. (R. S. Yeoman, Albert I. Donn, Neil Shafer)

GREECE



30 Drachmas, 1963. Silver. Obverse: Arms in center, crown above, dividing

dates 1863-1963. Five medallions with heads of the five kings of the royal Greek dynasty; George I, Constantine I, Alexander I, George II, Paul I. Reverse: Map of Greece, an ancient galley with sail, the Ionian and Aegean seas, denomination on the lower part 30 DR. Legend around the upper part: "Kingdom of Hellas." Lettered edge. Size 34 mm., weight 18 grams, .835 fine silver. Struck at Paris mint. This coin commemorates the centennial of the royal Greek dynasty. (We wish to thank David A. C. Lin, who donated the above coin to the A.N.A. Collection also for the information and description. Also L. Benson, Wm. H. Wilkerson, Jr.)

INDIA



1 Rupee, 1962. Nickel. Obverse: Asoka pillar, three lions on a pedestal below Ghandi's spinning wheel, horse, Brahmin bull, at left: "Bharat" in Devanagari, at right, INDIA in English, all within border of lotus petals. Reverse: numeral 1 in center between ears of wheat, RUPEE and date below, on top "rupee" in Devanagari, all within border of lotus petals. Security edge. (Lauren Benson)

INDIA - BAHAWALPUR



1 Pie, 1924. Bronze. Obverse: Toughra for "Al Haj Sadiq Moham-med V. Abbasi Chelboon Malus," rulers name and titles. Hejira date 1342 upper right. Reverse: 3 branches in

center, four stars on top, Urdu legend in lower part: "Mamlakat Chudadad Bahawalpur." Square planchet. (John Q. U. Thompson, M.D.)

INDIA - NEPAL



1 Paisa, 1956. Brass. Obverse: Plumed headpiece in center, inscriptions and legend in Devanagari below: "Nepal," underneath: "Shri Pancha Mahendra bir Bikram Saha Deb" (name and titles of ruler), Samvat date below 2013, legend on top: "Subha Rajya Visheka" ("Auspicious coronation of his majesty the king"), sun, moon and various symbols of Buddhism. Reverse: Numeral 1 in center between two twigs, legend on top: "Shri Bavani," value on the bottom: "Ek paisa." Plain edge.



2 Paisa, 1956. Brass. Obverse similar to above. Reverse: Numeral 2 in center, legend above: "Shri Bavani," value on the bottom, all within ornaments. Plain edge.



5 Paisa, 1956. Bronze. Obverse similar to above. Reverse: Numeral 5 on a leaf design between ornaments, legend on top: "Shri Bavani," value on the bottom. Plain edge.



10 Paisa, 1956. Bronze. Obverse:

Similar to above. Reverse: Numeral 10 on a leaf design between ornaments. Legend above: "Shri Bavani," on the bottom, value. Plain edge. (Submitted through courtesy Paul Simon Essof, with the information, that complete coronation sets of 7 values, including the previously listed 1 and ½ rupee as well as the 25 paisa, all in nickel and of similar design, were not made available to the public, but only to high authorities. Also Lauren Benson.)

ISRAEL



5 Pounds, 1964. Silver. Obverse: Capital part of a pillar of the 7th century B.C., Phoenician style (Temple of Solomon), legend in three lines: "Israel" in Hebrew and Arabic, Christian date 1964, Hebrew date 5724, in the upper right, value 5 Israeli pounds (lirot). Reverse: Stylized relief of the buildings on Museum Hill, legend below: "Israel Museum Jerusalem." On the edge of the coin in Hebrew: "16th year of the State of Israel." Struck at the Italian state mint "la zecca," design by B. Nahsholi, diameter 34 mm.) weight 25 gr. (Photo and information courtesy Mrs. Aviva Even-Paz, Overseas Dept. Israeli Coins and Medals Co. Ltd.)

MUSCAT AND OMAN



3 Baizahs, 1959. Bronze. Obverse:

Arms in center, legend on top: "Sa'id Ben Taimur," on the bottom: "Sultan of Muscat and Oman." Reverse: Numeral 3 in center between small arms, Hejira date 1378 below, legend on the bottom: "Dhofar," on top: "Baizah." Plain edge. (Submitted for comparison by Lauren Benson. This is Yeoman 13. It is 20 mm. and not 19 as listed. The difference is not only in the size but also in the legend, as it reads Dhofar instead of Muscat on the reverse, of the same denomination but dated 1380.



15 Bani, 1960. Copper-nickel. Obverse: Arms in center, date below, legend around: REPUBLICA POPULARA ROMINA. Reverse: Value within wreath. Plain edge.

ROMANIA



5 Bani, 1963. Copper-nickel. Obverse: Arms. Reverse: Value, date below. Plain edge.



25 Bani, 1960. Copper-nickel. Obverse: Similar to above. Reverse: Value, tractor below, ears of wheat at lower right. Plain edge. (Photos and information through courtesy R. S. Yeoman, Ken Bressett.)

DISPLAY BRASHER DOUBLOON AT WORLD'S FAIR

The Brasher doubloon will be seen by millions of visitors in the New York pavilion at the world's fair, where it will be on public display. Exhibited through the courtesy of Gimbel's coin and stamp department, which recently acquired the coin from the famed Vergil P. Brand collection, the Brasher doubloon is one of the outstanding rarities of American coinage.

The coin is of historic interest to all Americans as it was the first gold coin to be manufactured in the United States. The doubloon was struck in 1787 by Ephraim Brasher, a well-known goldsmith, silversmith and jeweler, who was George Washington's next-door neighbor on Cherry street in New York City. At the time of its issue, the coin was worth about \$16.00.

In choice condition despite the years, and still retaining its golden splendor, the coin has a design which shows the sun rising over the mountains to symbolize the dawning of a new era. Around the border is the Latin legend, NOVA EBORACA COLUMBIA EXCELSIOR, meaning "New York and America, ever upward." Below this design is the name BRASHER.

On the reverse is an eagle with 13 stars, representing the 13 original states, and the motto E PLURIBUS UNUM. This was one of the earliest uses of this famous motto which now appears on all United States coins. On the eagle's right wing is Ephraim Brasher's celebrated hallmark, an oval punch mark impressed with the letters "EB."

Only six specimens of the Brasher doubloon are known to have survived from early times. Four of them are owned by institutions. One is in the Smithsonian institution. Yale University has one and two are in the numismatic collection of Johns Hopkins University. A fifth piece is owned by a midwest collector and the sixth piece is the one which will be exhibited at the New York pavilion.

In addition to making the first gold coin in the United States, Brasher may have indirectly contributed to America's coinage of half dimes, a denomination which was the forerunner of our present day "nickel." Legend has it that America's first half dimes were struck from Martha Washington's silver service, several pieces of which were made by Brasher. This silverware has never been found, giving credence to the legend.

Other finely wrought silver pieces, including tankards, creamers, bowls and spoons which bear Brasher's hallmark, are highly prized today by con-

noisseurs of early American art. In addition to being an exceptionally fine silversmith, Brasher, whose ancestry was English-Dutch, was quite active in the civic affairs of the city. Some of the local offices he held were sanitary commissioner, coroner, assistant justice, election inspector and commissioner of excise. During the Revolutionary War, Brasher served as a lieutenant in Col. John Lasher's regiment of the New York volunteers. When the defeated British left New York in 1783, he was a member of the evacuation day committee which made all the arrangements for the celebration of the event.

The Brasher doubloon is one of the world's most storied coins, having appeared as the theme of several novels and a full-length motion picture. Well-known mystery writer Raymond Chandler was one of the many who have been intrigued by the coin, and he wrote a detective thriller about it which was later made into a movie, "The Brasher Doubloon," starring George Montgomery.

1965 PROOF SETS

The mint no longer can accept proof coin orders for 1964 sets. Proof coins struck in prior years are not available at the mint.

Orders for 1965 proof coin sets at \$2.10 each may be sent to the Philadelphia mint any time *after* November 1, 1964. The filling of all orders is contingent upon the mint's ability to meet the demand, which is unpredictable. The mint reserves the right to reduce or cancel such orders, regardless of whether or not receipts of the order has been acknowledged. The mint also reserves the right to give shipping priorities to small orders.

In the event the demand exceeds the supply, a cut-off date will be established beyond which all orders will be returned. Under no circumstances will more than 100 sets of proof coins for any one year be sold to any person.

Orders for proof sets should be addressed to the superintendent, United States mint, Philadelphia, Pa. 19130, and should be accompanied by remittance in full—United States postal money order or check made payable to superintendent of the mint.

A.N.A. OFFICERS AND GOVERNORS



Those attending the interim A.N.A. board meeting in Phoenix the latter part of February were, l. to r., front row, Max Schwartz, counsel; P. K. Anderson, president; Harold Berk, governor; second row, Charles Johnson, Harold Klein, Arthur Sipe, governors; Matt Rothert, 1st vice president; Herbert Bergen, 2nd vice president; Eldridge Jones, treasurer; back row, Don Sherer, executive secretary; Ralph Cleaver, George Todd, governors; Elston Bradfield, editor; S. W. Freeman, advertising manager. (*Jean Bradfield photo.*)

A.N.A. Gift and Bequest Program

HOW IT WILL WORK

By

CHARLES M. JOHNSON, A.N.A. No. 18738

At its February meeting in Phoenix, the A.N.A. board of governors adopted a program for handling and encouraging gifts and bequests to the association. This program has been under consideration for many months, with a committee working out the details. It is the object of this report to explain to the membership how the program will work.

Purposes of Gifts

Under the program adopted by the board, gifts and bequests to the association are encouraged to provide funds for the following purposes: (1) to establish and maintain a national home and headquarters; (2) for the association's numismatic collections, museum, library, visual education facilities, and publications; (3) for general A.N.A. purposes, and (4) for any special purpose approved by the board. Each donor should specify the purpose for which his gift is intended, thus assuring it will be used for that purpose.

How Gifts Are Made

All gifts and bequests should be mailed or delivered to the A.N.A. executive secretary, Don Sherer, 3520 North 7th St., Phoenix, Ariz., who will issue consecutively numbered receipts for the gifts. Gifts for any amount, no matter how small, will be welcome.

Donors of \$2,000 or more will be made patrons of the A.N.A. Donors of \$10,000 or more will be named benefactors of the A.N.A. Donors to the fund for a national home and headquarters will have their names enrolled in a permanent honors book, which will be encased with a commemorative plaque and placed in the home as a memorial to those whose generosity made possible its establishment and maintenance.

Recognition for Donors

Periodically the names of all donors of \$10 or more will be published in *The Numismatist*. If requested, the donor's name will be omitted and his gift listed and published anonymously. No donor's R.F.D. or street address

will be given. All gifts under \$10 will be grouped and listed anonymously. Patrons and benefactors will be listed separately.

Coins and Numismatic Gifts

In addition to money, gifts of valuable coins, coin collections, and other numismatic items will be welcome — for the association's numismatic collections and museum, or for sale in whole or in part by the association at its option. Such sales will be made at regular A.N.A. conventions or at authorized special sales, to the highest bidder. The proceeds will be used for the purpose designated by the donor. All expenses of handling, cataloging, and selling such gifts will be borne by the A.N.A., so the full amount of each gift will be available for the donor's intended purpose.

In making gifts of numismatic collections or individual items, the donor should indicate the value placed upon such gifts, which the donor will use in claiming his charitable tax deduction and which the association will use when recording the gifts.

Tax Deductions for Gifts

The A.N.A. is on the United States Treasury's Cumulative List of Organizations qualified for charitable tax deductions. Thus the fair market value of a numismatic collection or single item given to the A.N.A. is deductible. If you have a numismatic item that has increased in value, give the item, and let the A.N.A., which pays no tax, realize the gain, tax free. The deduction by the taxpayer for the contribution is measured by its value rather than its cost. A taxpayer who contributes appreciated coins, or other numismatic items, obtains his full deduction, and pays no income tax. This results in many gifts being made without any cost to the taxpayer.

Use of Gifts

In adopting the gift and bequest program, the A.N.A. hopes to receive considerable financial help from its members, friends, and affiliated organizations, and to give lasting recogni-

tion to all those who make gifts. With funds so received it is planned to provide and maintain a permanent home and headquarters to bring together and house its administrative officer, numismatic museum, library, and other activities, now in makeshift quarters scattered over the country. This step will improve the organization and help meet greatly increased demands on the A.N.A. for additional services resulting from the explosive growth of numismatics, the rapid increase in the association's individual membership to more than 25,000, and affiliated club membership to more than 1,000. It will help meet the

needs for further development of the cultural and educational aspects of numismatics and the betterment of the hobby.

With these objectives in mind, A.N.A. members, friends, and affiliated clubs are requested to mail a check for their gifts to the A.N.A. executive secretary. A gift of valuable coins, a collection in which you no longer are interested, your duplicates, or any other numismatic item is welcome. Be sure to send all valuable coins and other items by registered or insured mail.

Remember, a gift to the A.N.A. is for the betterment of numismatics.

1964 UNCIRCULATED COIN SETS AVAILABLE

The United States mint reports 1963 uncirculated coin sets are no longer available.

Mail orders are being accepted as of May 1 for coins currently being minted for circulation. The 1964 sets contain ten coins—a 50 cent piece, a 25 cent piece, a 10 cent piece, a 5 cent piece, and a 1 cent piece struck at each mint during the year—with a face value of \$1.82.

The purchase price is \$2.40 a set, which includes handling charges, postage and insurance. The price is the same whether purchased over the counter or mailed to any place in the United States.

Mail orders are limited to no more than five sets per person and are being accepted only at the Philadelphia mint. Make check or postal money order payable to the superintendent, United States mint, Philadelphia.

Uncirculated sets may be purchased over the counter at the mints, in Philadelphia and in Denver, at the United States assay office in San Francisco, and at the cash room of the treasury department in Washington, D. C. The mint reserves the right to curtail or cancel sales at any time.

DOMESTIC COINAGE EXECUTED BY MINTS DURING FEBRUARY, 1964

Denomination	Philadelphia	Denver	Total Value	Total Pieces
SILVER				
Half dollars	\$ 3,592,000.00	\$ 5,044,000.00	\$ 8,636,000.00	17,272,000
Quarter dollars	781,000.00	1,531,586.00	2,312,586.00	9,250,344
Dimes	203,000.00	4,448,000.00	4,651,000.00	46,510,000
Total Silver	\$ 4,576,000.00	\$11,023,586.00	\$15,599,586.00	73,032,344
MINOR				
Five cent pieces	\$ 1,418,000.00	\$ 1,587,200.00	\$ 3,005,200.00	60,104,000
One cent pieces	868,800.00	1,016,100.00	1,884,900.00	188,490,000
Total Minor	2,286,800.00	2,603,300.00	4,890,100.00	248,594,000
Total Domestic Coinage	\$ 6,862,800.00	\$13,626,886.00	\$20,489,686.00	321,626,344

COINAGE EXECUTED FOR FOREIGN GOVERNMENTS NONE

CUMULATIVE MINT REPORT THROUGH FEBRUARY, 1964 Giving number of pieces struck

	Philadelphia	Denver
Half dollars	7,184,000	10,088,000
Quarter dollars	18,556,000	25,858,344
Dimes	2,030,000	91,490,000
Five cent pieces	55,120,000	60,624,000
One cent pieces	166,335,000	197,395,000

Proof sets struck in February, 1964 none
Proof sets struck during 1964 through February none

NOTES & QUERIES

ESNA Convention May 22-24

Officials of the Buffalo Numismatic Association, headed by hard working General Chairman James Barwell, have done their job of planning for the 28th semiannual convention of Empire State Numismatic Association in a most commendable way, reports ESNA Secretary James Walser. The host club's plans include such features as trips to Niagara Falls and New York's huge new power project, special entertainment for the ladies, and a quality auction by Canadian dealer James Charlton. Besides being an experienced dealer and auctioneer, Charlton is well known for his columns in several numismatic publications. Prominent and noted dealers will have tables in the bourse, and the type of exhibits for which ESNA is famous are expected to attract large crowds to this truly numismatic phase of the convention. All activities will be centered in the Statler Hilton Hotel in Buffalo, including a banquet Saturday evening and the association's business meeting. Everyone is cordially invited to attend, and it isn't too late to contact Chairman James Barwell, 348 Riverside Ave., Buffalo, N. Y. 14207, for other information and arrangements.

Hundred-Year History of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing

Director of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing H. J. Holtzclaw and his staff have compiled a comprehensive history of the bureau, beginning with the government's first venture into security production during Civil War days. When published, the history will be an illustrated book of nearly 200 pages which should be of special value to numismatists and philatelists, as well as being an important link in the general history of our country and its government. Arrangements for its publication have not been completed, although it probably will be issued by the Government Printing Office. Announcement of its availability will be made known as soon as possible in *The Numismatist*.

NASC Convention Highlights

Perhaps the registration of 6,125 at the ninth annual convention of the Numismatic Association of Southern California is not a record but it proves that a lot of people were interested in the four-day affair which opened in the Los Angeles Hotel Statler on

February 27. Excellent exhibits filled 162 cases in the well lighted East and West Garden rooms; 87 dealers had bourse tables stocked with a good variety of material; attendance at the Saturday evening banquet broke all records at 317; and 50 new names were added to membership rolls. Many A.N.A. officials and their wives came from the board meeting held



A.N.A. distinguished guests and NASC members.

earlier in the week at Phoenix, and other notable visitors seen included Hoagy Carmichael and British Vice Consul James Stark and Mrs. Stark. The Saturday morning member club officers breakfast was a popular event again, with attendance above expectations. At the business meeting later the same morning, the following officers were elected: President Karl M.



New NASC officers are, l. to r., standing, Edwin Borgolte, treasurer; Arthur MacDonald, Thomas Wood, Jay Kay and George Bennett, board members. L. to r., seated, Thelma Case, historian; Murray Singer, president elect; Ann Hall, recording secretary; Karl Brainard, president; Peggy E. Borgolte, corresponding secretary; Walter Snyder, vice president.

Brainard, President Elect Murray G. Singer, Vice President Walter T. Snyder, Recording Secretary Ann M. Hall, Corresponding Secretary Peggy E. Borgolte, Treasurer Edwin C. Borgolte, Historian Thelma M. Case, and board members George Bennett, Thomas H. Wood (past presidents), Harold Donald, Foster Hall, Maurice

Jenson, Jay Kay, Arthur MacDonald and Russell G. Snyder.

Exhibit winners were: United States coins — Sid Marks, Elghu James and Bruce Bartholow; all gold — James W. Gillie; ancient coins — Alex Struthers, Joseph Goodyear and Dale S. Sigler; medieval coins — Leonora Donald and James L. Betton, Jr.; modern foreign coins — Joseph Goodyear, Joy Parrish and Clay Read; paper money — Morton M. Shafer, Warren Overlin and James L. Betton, Jr.; odd and curious money — Thelma M. Case, Edith A. Filiatreau and R. B. Carter; orders and decorations — James K. Tiffany and James L. Betton, Jr.; medals and medallic art — Robert Axelrod, Sylvia Novack and Clay Read; specialized displays — Elliott Markoff, Elizabeth Case and Virginia Culver; club displays — Pillars Limited Coin Club and Antelope Valley Coin Club; professional numismatists — Mrs. Russell G. Snyder, Harold F. Donald and Slim Dunbar. The best in show award went to Elliott Markoff for his specialized display titled "Presidential Series."

Plans for next year's convention, to begin on February 24 at the same location, are already underway.

RCDA Convention Exhibits

From convention headquarters in Reno, it is reported that Don Seibert has been selected as exhibit chairman for the 1964 Retail Coin Dealers Association national convention June 4-7. Hailed as one of the most knowledgeable and conscientious numismatists in the coin exhibit department, Seibert brings ample experience to the convention and to his duties as exhibit chairman.

Five categories will be represented in the exhibits, and 15 awards will be made at the June 7 breakfast. As exhibit space will be limited, exhibitors are advised to contact Seibert, 3201 Lakewood Dr., Houston, Texas 77016, at the earliest opportunity for information on entering exhibits.

Fiftieth State Association

Announcement is made of the formation of the Hawaii State Numismatic Association (HSNA), placing all active coin clubs in the fiftieth state under one banner. The organizational meeting was held February 24, with the first formal business meeting on March 10. Officers for 1964 are: Dr. George Oshiro, Honolulu, president; Eugene Slay, Barber's Point NAS, vice president; Russell Hamblett, Jr., Bar-

ber's Point NAS, treasurer; and Charles Bradley, Kailua, secretary.

This newest state association was formed to promote numismatics through education, and to assist all affiliated clubs in attaining their established goals. Many plans are under consideration which should result in

MISSISSIPPI SHOW



S. W. Freeman, r., Advertising Manager for *The Numismatist*, congratulates Daniel T. Anderson of Mississippi Numismatic Exchange for his fine bourse showing at the March 21-22 convention in Jackson, Miss.



Presenting the Best of Show award at the March 21-22 Mississippi Numis. Assn. convention are, l. to r., Exhibit Chairman Robert Lambert, Association President E. V. Catoe, Jr., and recipient Sgt. Frank Smeglia of Mobile, Ala.

a continuing growth of numismatics in this mid-Pacific paradise. A major undertaking for 1964 will be sponsorship of the official state numismatic convention October 7-10 at the Reef Ocean Tower Hotel on the beach at Waikiki. An outstanding event is being planned, details of which will be released soon.

To preclude misunderstanding and to clarify matters currently appearing in the numismatic press, we wish to state that (a) HSNA sponsors only one statewide convention annually, and (b) neither HSNA nor any active coin club in the fiftieth state sponsors or participates in the Hawaii Cal-Pacific Association. The business address of the association is 90 N. King St., Suite 202, Honolulu, Hawaii 96817. Queries and suggestions from both members and nonmembers regarding membership, programs and plans are most welcome.

Padre Serra Medal

The Padre Junipero Serra national medal which congress authorized last year to commemorate the 250th anniversary of the birth of the founder of the California missions is now avail-



able. Orders accompanied by remittances should be sent to the Padre Junipero Serra 250th Anniversary Assn., Old Mission, Santa Barbara,

Calif. Struck by the U. S. mint at Philadelphia, 25 pieces were made in platinum (\$500 each), 10,000 in silver .900 fine (\$10 each), and an unlimited number in bronze (\$2.50). The piece is slightly larger than a U.S. half dollar.

The obverse depicts the full figure of the priest which has been modelled after the bronze statue in statuary hall of the U. S. capitol. The reverse features a map of California on which appears the ten missions founded by Padre Serra.

IAPN to Convene in London

The International Association of Professional Numismatists advises that its twenty-third convention will take place at the Piccadilly hotel in London, England, May 14-19. Five business sessions are scheduled, and numerous numismatic problems will be discussed. The IAPN is composed of numismatists of the entire world, and its main purpose is to coordinate efforts toward the development of the numismatic science and publicize it throughout the world.

It has created an expertizing service which is available to all collectors, offering information and clarification in connection with falsifications. Monographs of general interest have been published, and all members of IAPN have been sworn to guarantee the coins they sell. A list of members is published annually and can be obtained from the Secretariat, 7 Rue Drouot, Paris 9, France.

Alabama Convention Set for July 15-18

The fourth annual convention of Alabama Numismatic Society will be held at the Thomas Jefferson Hotel in Birmingham, July 15-18. At the request of Dr. Walter B. Jones, Society President, Mrs. Purnie Moore will serve again as general chairman and Marvin Acton, 413 N. 19th St., Birmingham 3, will be her co-chairman and also handle the auction. Two auction sessions have been scheduled, and a third will be added if the quantity of material warrants it. Elmer G. Brady, 413 N. 19th St., Birmingham 3, announces that 50 bourse tables will be available at \$40 each, including a display case and a banquet ticket. Security for the bourse, exhibits and auction will be the responsibility of Lt. H. A. Fincher of Birmingham.

Dr. Fred M. Downing, Jr., 712 Bessemer Rd., Birmingham 8, will be the

exhibit chairman, with assistance by Harry Collins and Walter Rosene, with George Todd of Atlanta in charge of awards. Classes of exhibits will be announced soon. Mrs. Fred M. Downing, entertainment chairman, is planning a reception to follow the educational program Wednesday evening, and a tour of the city for ladies. A new slate of officers for ANS is to be elected for two-year terms, with installation at the Saturday evening banquet.

The Alabama Numismatic Society has a membership of 18 clubs, with several more likely to affiliate before the July convention, and individuals in Alabama and other states throughout the country. Drawing from an immediate trade area of two million people, this promises to be the largest numismatic event in the South this year. Hotel reservations may be made directly with the Thomas Jefferson Hotel as well as with many other hotels and motels in the vicinity.

Presidential Portraits On United States Coins

Dear Mr. Bradfield:

As I read your very interesting article on the Kennedy half dollar in the April, 1964 *Numismatist*, I found it would be complete if one important item had been mentioned.

The late Mr. Kennedy faces left. Mr. Roosevelt faces left, as does Mr. Jefferson. These Presidents were Democrats.

On the other hand, Mr. Lincoln faces right. He was a Republican.

Mr. Washington was neither Democrat or Republican.

I believe the facts mentioned should be made known to our members.

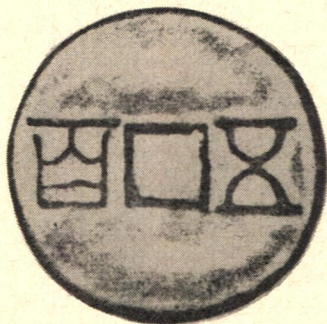
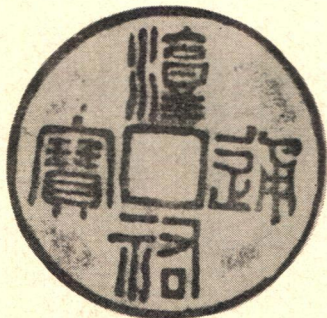
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"Counterfeiting — Then And Now": A Reply

Reference is made to the note entitled "Counterfeiting — Then and Now" by Kenneth M. Gaver in "Notes & Queries" section of *The Numismatist* of March, 1964.

It is believed that the gratuitous inference expressed that "Now we have to worry about 20th century reproductions of these very interesting pieces" is without foundation as the coins of the southern Sung era are for the most part too common

to encourage any such suggested counterfeiting. The entire dated series of Shun Hsi to which he refers is priced in Chinese catalogs* at from three to five cents in Chinese money and all have been found in great numbers. There has been no 20th century counterfeiting of Sung coins. The only instance of sculduggery in this series which has come to my attention in over 25 years of specializing in ancient Chinese coins is the



series of fantasies, not counterfeits, of the Shun Yu era (A.D. 1241-1252). These have their inscriptions in the seal characters, of which no genuine specimens exist. Our reference illustrates three sizes with reverse characters above and below the holes. A fourth has recently come to my attention which is illustrated herewith, having the reverse with characters at the right and left of the hole.

— H. F. BOWKER

Detroit's Money Museum Greets 150,000th Visitor

Daniel Barth, a nine-year-old cub scout, was recently honored as the 150,000th visitor to the money museum of National Bank of Detroit.

*Ku Ch'ien Ta T'se Tien (An encyclopædia of Old Coins), By Ting Fupao, Shanghai, 1938 (Coole #240).

Danny was one of six cub scouts who toured the museum on March 5. In honor of the occasion George E. Parker, executive vice president of the bank gave Danny the passbook for a



Receptionist Connie Costage, Daniel Barth, and Executive Vice President George Parker at the presentation of the \$25 passbook to the cub scout.

\$25 savings account. The museum, which holds 15,000 specimens of coins, paper money, and unusual media of exchange, recently added to its exhibits a large Moko drum used as money on the island of Alor in Indonesia.

Arkansas' Convention

The Arkansas Numismatic Society has reserved the top floor of the Hotel



L. to r., Dr. J. R. Luten, Mrs. Nina Willis and William Hackett.

Lafayette in Little Rock for its 16th annual convention May 17-18. Again the Arkansas group will strive to

make this more than just a coin sale. Saturday night will offer a banquet in honor of visiting dignitaries being invited by S. W. Freeman, advertising manager of *The Numismatist*. Certainly we look forward to having P. K. Anderson and Matt Rothert, president and vice president of the A.N.A. because they are near home folks. Late Saturday night will feature an auction by professional auctioneers as the club's first try at separating club and auction. Last but not least, the ever popular bourse will offer top dealers, including our own charter member, F. K. Saab of New York.

LNA Show May 9-10

Plans for the 1964 convention of the Louisiana Numismatic Association are completed, according to G. P. Boutwell of the Baton Rouge Coin Club, host for the event to be held at the Capitol House Hotel in Baton Rouge, La., May 9-10.

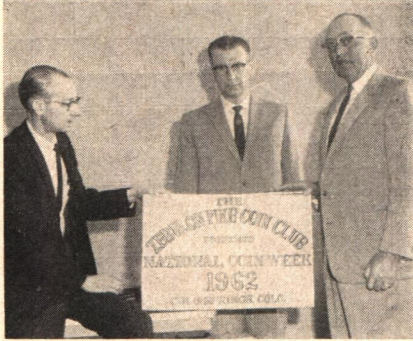
Since displays of rare and unusual coins stimulate interest among novices and experienced collectors alike, outstanding exhibits will be an important part of the convention. Art Lovi will enter a noncompetitive exhibit. In addition, there will be eight competitive categories with trophies or plaques awarded to the proud owners of the top three collections in each group. The categories will be: United States coins, gold coins, foreign coins, paper money, ancient and medieval coins, medals and tokens, miscellaneous, and juniors. A number of exhibits have been entered by prominent numismatists of the area, and Exhibit Chairman David Heath expects others. All persons interested in entering an exhibit are cordially invited to write Heath at 3166 Drusilla Lane, Baton Rouge.

There will be 40 bourse tables in the spacious ballroom catering to the large crowds of collectors expected. Information on the bourse or other details can be obtained from General Chairman W. L. Young, P. O. Box 14513, Baton Rouge 8, La. An awards breakfast is scheduled for Sunday, and the LNA business meeting is planned for Sunday afternoon. There will be no admission charge.

Visit Southern Colorado in June

Those interested in a vacation in cool, colorful Colorado are invited to attend the sixth annual Southern Colorado coin convention at the Antlers Hotel in Colorado Springs the first weekend in June. This spring

numismatic affair came into being as a one day show in Pueblo in 1959, through the combined efforts of the Arkansas Valley Coin Club and the Pueblo Coin Club. Exhibits, an auction and a banquet headlined this first show. The 1960 show, again in Pueblo, was expanded to two days and included a bourse. In 1961 the Arkansas Valley Club included the two day show in its National Coin Week ac-



Admiring a first place 1962 NCW scrapbook, but thinking about the 1964 Southern Colorado convention, are, l. to r., Herman Boraker, exhibits chairman; Al C. Overton, auction chairman; and Ralph F. Cleaver, president of Zebulon Pike Coin Club and A.N.A. governor.

tivities. The Zebulon Pike Club was host to the fourth show which was expanded to three days in late April at the Antlers Hotel. This was said to be the finest ever held in the state up to that time, with outstanding exhibits and attendance beyond all expectations. There was only one unhappy consequence — the show was so good that no one wanted to be the host in 1963 for fear of failure by comparison. The Arkansas Valley Club held a one day affair in the Continental Pueblo Motel which proved successful from the standpoint of attendance.

When the 1964 show opens for three days on June 5, members of the Zebulon Pike Coin Club will be determined to surpass the fine affair they held in the same hotel two years ago. Further information may be obtained from the following committee chairmen: Henry Stark, general chair-

man, 614 Huron Road, Colorado Springs; Leonard Campbell, bourse, P. O. Box 133, Colorado Springs; Al Overton, auction, P. O. Box 893, Pueblo, Colo.; and Herman Boraker, exhibits, P. O. Box 204, Rocky Ford, Colo. Club President Ralph F. Cleaver reminds you of the delights of Colorado and invites you to attend this Colorado numismatic event of the year.

On Again! Off Again!

The bureau of the mint has once again stopped taking 1964 proof set orders. The first shut off came January 10 but after processing orders received and reducing large orders to a smaller number of sets, approximately 400,000 additional sets became available to individual collectors. This period lasted about two weeks until the final cut off March 10.

Shop Talk

Richard M. Muniz announces the opening of a completely modern retail coin store at 8990 Biscayne Blvd., Miami Shores, Fla. Recently associated with American Numismatic Exchange and *Pace* newspaper in Houston, Muniz has returned to his native Miami to carry on his national mail order business with a diversified stock of U. S. coins and supplies for the collector. He has a staff which will make possible the maintaining of his reputation for processing all orders within 48 hours after receipt.

The Red Top Co., commercial chemists of 1831 Federal St., McKeesport, Penna., announces that its 1964 "lucky cent" tokens are available. Collectors desiring one may obtain it free by sending a stamped self addressed envelope with their request.

Thomas J. Wass III, president of International Numismatics Corp., 270 Park Ave., New York City, announces the formation of a new and completely automatic teletype exchange. It will consolidate the former PNG circuit with a further group of professional dealers who have been screened carefully as to business ethics and integrity. It is expected to avoid delays in getting on the circuit and the handling of tapes at the center, which will be in Houston, Texas. Surveys showed that this vicinity would be the most economical from the mileage charge standpoint.

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A.N.A. CONVENTION NEWS

Plans for the 1964 A.N.A. annual convention at Cleveland, August 19-22, move on apace. As of mid-March, about one-third of the available rooms at the Sheraton-Cleveland Hotel had been reserved by A.N.A. members planning to attend, and an additional block of 800 rooms at two other downtown hotels had been set aside for convention visitors. All reservations are being handled by the Reservations Manager, Sheraton-Cleveland Hotel, Cleveland, Ohio 44113, and prompt action is suggested for those who wish to be assured rooms at the center of activity in the convention hotel itself. In years gone by, a leisurely approach to reservations has been possible, but in recent times, with burgeoning convention attendance, enough attendees have been disappointed in last minute room arrangements to suggest that it is wise to plan well ahead in such matters.

The convention auction is being handled by Michael Kolman, Jr., Federal Brand Enterprises, 4263 Pearl Rd., Cleveland, O. 44109. A number of choice consignments is already in hand, and the sale will be fully in keeping with the fine tradition of a long series of Federal auctions over the years. As good consignment material deserves careful attention in description and illustration, considerable time is required to catalog such material to best advantage. Members wishing to consign coins for the convention auction are urged to contact Kolman promptly. Those not on the regular Federal Brand catalog mailing list, and who wish to receive a convention auction catalog when distributed this summer, may request one by postcard.

Bourse selection has been completed by the A.N.A. board of governors at its spring meeting, and successful applicants have been notified. A complete listing of the 100 coin dealers, as well as the non-coin-dealers occupying display tables, will be published shortly.

New exhibit regulations formulated by the A.N.A. exhibit committee will apply to the Cleveland Convention Exhibit Hall. Competitive exhibits are subdivided into 11 award categories, each of which may be entered with a maximum of five competitive cases, or a maximum of 3,000 square inches of exhibit area.

The Group A (competitive) exhibit categories are:

- Class 1 — United States coins
- Class 2 — United States paper money
- Class 3 — Medals, orders and decorations
- Class 4 — Tokens
- Class 5 — Obsolete paper money
- Class 6 — Coins prior to 1500 A.D.
- Class 7 — Foreign coins after 1500 A.D.
- Class 8 — Foreign paper money
- Class 9 — All gold coins
- Class 10 — Latin-American exhibits
- Class 11 — General, specialized (including odd and curious, mint errors and other numismatic material not covered in 1-10.)

Group B comprises noncompetitive exhibits displayed for their educational value, which includes foreign invitational exhibits. Cases are assigned at the discretion of the exhibit chairman.

Group C is a junior competitive class, limited to junior A.N.A. members in a single category, "general." Junior exhibitors may also compete in Class A (rather than Class C), if they prefer.

Exhibit application blanks and a complete summary of exhibit "ground rules" may be had upon application to the exhibit chairmen, Don L. Decker and James Kirkwood, Box 735, Cleveland 44122.

THE 25-YEAR MEMBERSHIP AWARD

Some confusion seems to exist as to the eligibility for the coveted A.N.A. membership award. Executive Secretary Sherer has requested the historian to explain the requirement in answer to numerous letters received from

members who feel they have been overlooked when their names do not appear on the award roster.

The 25 year membership medal is awarded only to members whose tenure in the A.N.A. has been *uninterrupted* and *continuous* for the preceding 25 years. Thus, all members with numbers from 7168 to 7791 who have been paid up members continuously since 1939 will receive their award medals at the 1964 annual convention.

Anyone who dropped out or resigned, was later reinstated and given his old number, even though it be below 7781, is ineligible for the award until 25 years after such reinstatement. The only exception to this rule is that — the member is made eligible if all arrear dues are paid at the time of reinstatement. — JACK W. OGILVIE, Historian

NUMISMATIC PAPERS — IDEA STARTERS

Until you have had the stimulating experience of sharing your knowledge with others, you cannot truly say you have lived your numismatic life to its fullest. And who would choose to live partially?

It has been said that adventure is a state of mind. Set your mind on the quest for knowledge and it can become an adventure. And you, my friend, can be the genie who starts a collector on this adventure. Maybe all he needs is a little push — a prod to set his ideas in motion.

Many writings live on long after they are printed not only because they are well written or transmit information, but because they have a unique quality which might best be described as an "idea starter." Your idea may be old hat to you but it can be a new angle to someone else. Share your numismatic knowledge and be an idea starter.

For those who need reminding, your article should be typed double spaced and mailed to Elston Bradfield. He will evaluate it thoughtfully for possible publication in *The Numismatist*. Upon publication, it becomes eligible for consideration by an appointed committee and could win a coveted Heath Literary award — honored recognition reserved for A.N.A. members.

Or you may mail it to one of the following members of the papers committee: Mrs. Wally Gilmore, 1104 West 6th St., Weslaco, Texas; Miss Margaret McAuley, 956 Myrtle St., NE, Atlanta, Georgia.

Now is the time. You are the person. What are you waiting for?

— MRS. DORIS MARTIN, Chm.
6207 Chevy Chase
Houston, Texas 77027.

New A.N.A. Office Created

At its February 24-26 meeting in Phoenix, Arizona, the A.N.A. board of governors created the new position of public relations officer to handle press releases and public relations under the direction of the Editor of *The Numismatist*. President Anderson has appointed Glenn B. Smedley to the new position. Smedley will continue as assistant to the editor also.

The primary purpose of the new office is to coordinate the release of official business matters and news items concerning the A.N.A. The officers recognize the desirability of keeping members and other interested parties informed through *The Numismatist* and other numismatic publications. It is felt, however, that the release of news of an official nature should be coordinated as to time of publication in the various media; this will be the responsibility of the public relations officer.

It is also the desire of the board that the new office provide items of general interest about the Association and its activities to numismatic publications. In the past, without any person being responsible for coordination, news and other publicity items have been given, in some instances, to some publications and not to others. Hereafter all publicity and news releases concerning the Association should be cleared through the public relations officer, regardless of the source or origin.

To summarize, it is the board's desire that even more publicity be given to activities of the Association than in the past, but that it be done in an orderly and coordinated manner.

SURVEY OF MEDIEVAL IBERIAN COINAGES

VI — Coinage of Portugal

By

J. F. LHOTKA, LM 334, AND P. K. ANDERSON, LM 210

Continued from March, 1964

Metals and Values

The medieval Portuguese struck their coins in four main metals — gold, silver, billon, and copper. The billon coins are the most common. This mixture of copper and silver was used for many denominations, including the *dinheiro*, the *grave*, the *barbuda*, and certain forms of the *real*. Frequently, the ratio of copper to silver became so one-sided that the coins appear to be made of copper alone. This is true of many of the *dinheiros* after the reign of Alfonso I. The gold coins usually are struck in good metal and many of the silver issues contain a high percentage of fine silver. In the late medieval period, the Portuguese issued coins of copper without any pretense of silver content, one of the first medieval nations to do so. In general, the Portuguese medieval issues follow the pattern of the Spanish in that base medals were utilized far earlier in the coinage than in France or England.

The values of medieval Portuguese coins vary but in general they are not expensive. Most of the more common types can be obtained for \$2 to \$3 in fairly decent condition. Even *dinheiros* of Sancho I frequently sell for such prices. Gold coins, and the rarer silver ones, sell much higher. Coins in choice condition bring higher prices under certain conditions. In most cases, the interested collector will find he can obtain medieval Portuguese coins easier in Europe than in the United States, since there is little demand for them here. On the other hand, when encountered here, they usually will be priced lower, for the same reason. Reis, in his text on these issues, estimates the values of the various coins in Portuguese

terms and anyone interested should consult this reference.

The Portuguese Coinage

The Portuguese series is similar to that of Castile and Leon, since during the formative period of the kingdom, only a few simple denominations were struck, but as the medieval era progressed, the coinage became more and more complicated. Initially only the *dinheiro* (the equivalent of the *dinero*) and the *mealha* (roughly the equivalent of the *obol*) were issued with the occasional addition of a gold coin, the *morabitino*. This coinage continued from the reign of Alfonso I until the reign of Peter I (1357-1367), when the gold coinage was altered and the *dobla* and half-*dobla* replaced the *morabitino*.

The Portuguese coinage really began to expand during the reign of Peter's son Ferdinand I (1367-1383) when he introduced into the series such denominations as the *dobra-peterra*, the *dobra gentil*, the *real* and its fractions, the *tornez*, the *barbuda*, the *grave*, and others. Ferdinand also began to indicate clearly the mint at which certain coins were struck. He increased the number of mints. Prior to his reign virtually all coins were struck at Oporto or Lisbon, but later several additional mints usually were in operation. The earlier coins did not have mint marks, as such, and sometimes it is difficult to identify issues as to their origin.

The first Portuguese ruler of importance, Henry of Burgundy, did not strike coins for his country which he held in fief from Castile and Leon. This he left to his son and successor, Alfonso Henriquez, the first King of Portugal. Alfonso struck only the *dinheiro* and the

mealha and his types and inscriptions are fairly distinctive. Three main obverse types were utilized, the tear drop shield decorated with pellets on the mealha, and a bust left and pentagram, a five pointed star device, on the dinheiros. The reverse types were forms of crosses. His legends usually contained his name on the obverse (ALFONSVS) while his title and kingdom were noted on the reverse (REX POR OR REX PORTVGAL).

Alfonso was succeeded by his son, Sancho I, who struck dinheiros, mealhas, and introduced the morabitino. Some controversy exists as to the exact attribution of coins bearing the name SANCHO since the issues of Sancho I and his grandson, Sancho II, are quite similar. Both used obverse legends such as REX SANCIO, SANCII REX, and REX SANCIVS surrounding a number of types, including single shields, shield crosses (four or five shields being involved), and in one case, a simple equilateral cross. The number of billets on the shields vary, since the arrangement of five in the form of an X had not been standardized. In general, the coins bearing the more archaic form of shield, the tear drop and crude triangular forms, are assigned to the elder Sancho, while the more refined shields with nice rounded bases and definite borders (either with or without billets) are given to Sancho II. Another method is to assign the single shield types, with one exception, to Sancho I, and the shield crosses to Sancho II. The coin bearing the simple cross obverse usually is assigned to Sancho the elder. The reverse legends of both Kings are fairly uniform and consist of the name of the kingdom, usually divided by a cross PO RT VG AL, commonly given as PO RT VC AI, but in some cases it surrounds the cross type without interruption, PORTVCAIE or PORTVCALE. The gold issues of Sancho I, as well as those of his successors, have a horseman on one face and a shield cross of five on the other face. The differentiation of these types will be found in the coin lists.

Alfonso II, Sancho's son and successor, struck a limited series of coins. Reis lists four billion coins for him and Porto lists only one. All are classed as mealhas. The obverse legend +REX AFOSV (after Porto) is an example used by him but certain experts class these coins as issues of Alfonso I. Alfonso II also struck the gold morabitino. However, he reversed the types and the horseman appears on the reverse and the cross of five shields forms the obverse type with the legend bearing his name.

Sancho II, Alfonso's son, issued a number of coins, the dinheiro, the mealha, and the morabitino. The difficulty of distinguishing between his coins and those of his grandfather was noted previously.

Sancho II was succeeded as King of Portugal by his younger brother, Alfonso III, who continued the dinheiro — and, according to Reis, the morabitino, although some experts disagree with such attributions. The dinheiros struck by Alfonso III are easily recognized since they almost routinely have his name as the obverse legend (ALFONSV REX, ALFONSV RX, ALFONSVS REX) surrounding a short equilateral cross with alternating stars and crescents in the angles. The reverse is standardized with a cross of shields (generally five) with pellets present (the exact number varies but generally is five). The legend on the reverse face with the name of the kingdom (PO RT VG AI OR PO RT VG AL) is divided as indicated by the shield cross.

Denis, successor to Alfonso III, struck primarily the dinheiro during his long reign. Other coins previously attributed to him are believed to be later issues of the interregnum and struck by Denis, natural son of Peter the Severe. The obverse legend on his dinheiros usually reads D REX PORTVGI (or variant) and surrounds an obverse cross type similar to that used by his father. The reverse consists of the cross of shields with the five pellets or billets and the legend divided as indicated by the shields AI

GA RB II (referring to the Algarve). There are numerous types of this general form but all basically are in the same pattern. Alfonso IV followed closely the pattern of his father's coinage. He, too, issued only the dinheiro and utilized the obverse legend ALF REX PORTVGL (or variant) and the cross with alternating stars and crescents. His reverse inscriptions and types are the same as those of Denis. Peter I also issued the dinheiro, using similar types except the obverse legend read P REX PORTVGI (or variant). The reverse types are similar to those of his predecessors. Peter, however, issued gold coins, the dobra and its half unit. On the dobra, Peter was depicted on a throne holding a sword and a shield bearing the arms of Portugal. The reverse was an ornate cross in a quatrefoil. The legends were PETRVS DEI GRA REX PORT ET ALG and PER CRVCEM TVAM SALVA NOS XPE REDEMT respectively. Both the dobra and half dobra are very rare.

The reign of Peter's son Ferdinand marks the end of the comparatively simple Portuguese coinage. Ferdinand expanded the series, in the number of denominations issued, and increased the number of issuing mints. The types on most of the denominations are fairly distinctive such as the helmeted closed vizor bust on the barbuda, the crowned letter F (for Ferdinand) on the grave, and the figure of the King on the gold issues. Religious inscriptions are found on many of his coins, such as SI DNS MICHI ALVTOR NON T on the barbuda (associated with an interesting reverse type consisting of a long cross with a Portuguese shield in the center and with a castle in each angle) and the legend in two lines on the tornez (outer) +DOMINVS: MICHI: ALVTOR: ET: EGO: DIS, (inner) PICIAM: INIMICOS: MEOS. There are many variations of these examples, depending on the mint and the denomination. The changes in the Portuguese coinage introduced by Ferdinand are best understood by studying the coin lists and the ruler-denomination-mint chart for medieval Portugal. Ferdinand, in-

identally, was the last to issue the dinheiro, and he followed the overall pattern of previous Kings in the types and inscriptions used on this old denomination.

The death of Ferdinand introduced the period of civil war and foreign intervention in Portuguese domestic affairs call the interregnum. Three main claimants appeared for the vacant throne, and all issued coins, primarily reals, although John of Aviz struck a half real. The coins issued by Denis (sometimes confused with issues of the earlier King Denis) have the Portuguese arms on one face with a double lined inscription and a cross on the other face. The coins of Beatriz have her bust on the obverse and combined Portuguese and Castilian arms on the other side of the coin. John struck issues with a crowned IHAS on the obverse and Portuguese arms on the reverse. See the coin lists for more exact details of these issues.

The reign of John I of Aviz marks the end of the medieval period for Portugal and the beginning of what usually is called the Age of Discovery. This is not particularly evident in his coinage, since his issues are somewhat restricted in scope when compared with those of Ferdinand. John, for example, did not issue gold coins and his silver and billon types are limited to various forms of the real and the ceitel. John issued more varieties of the real during his reign than any other King of Portugal considered in this paper. However, he restricted the number of mints and struck mainly at Lisbon, Oporto, and Ceuta, abandoning many mints used by Ferdinand. His types are similar to those of Ferdinand, with the use of a crowned name (IHAS or IHNS) in the field, the crowned letter Y (for John), and the Portuguese cross of shields. His obverse legends are variations of +IHAS: DEI: GRA: REX: PO: ET: AL (John by the Grace of God, King of Portugal and the Algarve). The religious reverse inscriptions, often in two lines, were continued and resemble those of Ferdinand. John did not issue coins with bust types.

John was succeeded by his son Edward, who with some limitations continued his father's types and denominations. Edward, however, issued a smaller number of real forms and struck gold coins, introducing the escudo. He also initiated a new denomination, the leal. His legends are distinctive since he is the only Portuguese king bearing the name Edward and any coin with any form of this name automatically may be attributed to him. His types included the usual cross of shields, crowned shields bearing the arms of Portugal, the crowned letter E (or ED), and small castles used in association with the cross of shields.

The next King of Portugal, Alfonso V, introduced new denominations, including the cruzado, the chimfram, the espadim (in silver and billon), and the cotrim. He also struck the escudo and its fractions. His types are similar to those of the preceding kings with the natural change in the royal name. Alfonso used the same mints as his father and established a new mint at Toro. He used the castle as a primary type, especially on the ceitil, the first Portuguese to do so, although some earlier rulers had used it as an accessory type. During his reign he laid claim to the throne of Castile and Leon and issued a typical series of pretender coins with the arms of that kingdom as the reverse type. Typical obverse legends used by Alfonso are: +ALFONSVS: DEI:GRACIA: REX (on an espadim), +ALFONSVS: QVINTI:REGIS:PORTVGA (on a real grosso), and +ALF9: E DOMINO : CEP (on a ceitil). Mention of his position in the numerical sequence of kings named Alfonso is interesting. The details of his coinage are better understood after studying the coin lists and the denomination-ruler-mint chart.

Alfonso was succeeded by his son John II, who issued a somewhat more restricted series. He reduced the number of mints and denominations, although introducing several new forms into the series, including the vintem, half vintem, justo, and cinquinho. He used a seated facing figure on certain of his gold issues,

the first used of a human representation in several reigns. He changed the metallic content of the espadim and made it a gold coin but continued its basic type (sword held by hand). The crowned Y was commonly used on the smaller denominations. The reverse types were typical and included crosses and the now traditional Portuguese cross of shields. The crowned arms of Portugal were used on the larger gold issues. On some minor coins the castle was continued in the form used by Alfonso V. John II did not commonly use the crowned IHNS of John I and his legends differ in that the full name usually was used rather than this abbreviation. Examples of his obverse legends are: +IOHANES:I:I:R:P:ALG:GVINE (on a gold espadim), +IOHANES:II:R:P:ET:A:D:GVIN (on a cruzado). The use of his place in the numerical sequence (II) of kings named John, the inclusion of Guinea (GVINE) in some legends, and the usual listing of the name in full help differentiate his coins from those of John I.

Our lists stop with John II, although his coinage does not differ greatly from that of his successor, Manuel. However, the coinage definitely was in the transition from medieval to modern and it is apparent that the year 1500 makes an excellent place to conclude the coin lists. Alteration in the coinage forms by Manuel (1495-1521) and John III (1521-1557) are striking, and by the middle of the Sixteenth Century the Portuguese coinage had fully assumed what usually is considered its modern appearance.

The information in the preceding pages can be summarized in the special table coördinating the denominations of the various medieval Portuguese Kings and their mint cities which precedes the coins lists and historical outlines. The data contained in this table was gleaned primarily from the text by Pedro Batalha Reis and supplemented by information found in the other references used in compiling the Portuguese section. The draft tables were submitted to Dr. Ferraro Vaz of Lisbon, Portugal, for correction and

comment. Then, with his suggestions incorporated, they were placed in final form as presented here. The table itself has been divided into two sections, one covering each of the two dynasties that ruled in Portugal during the period covered by this paper, the Houses of Burgundy and of Aviz. The denominations struck by each ruler are indicated after his name, and with the reign

of Ferdinand I, the mint markings present on the various denominations are noted when present. Not all coins carried such marks, even during the later periods covered by this paper, and such coins are merely listed under the sovereign's name. The exact form which the various mint marks took were discussed previously and will be illustrated later in the coin lists.

Medieval Portuguese Mint, Denomination, and Ruler Relationships

HOUSE OF BURGUNDY	DINHEIRO	MEALHA	MORABITINO	DOBRA	HALF DOBRA	DOBRA-PE-TERRA	HALF DOBRA-PE-TERRA	DOBRA GENTIL	REAL	HALF REAL	TORNEZ	HALF TORNEZ	BARBUDA	HALF BARBUDA	QUARTER BARBUDA	GRAVE	PILARTE
ALFONSO I	X	X															
SANCHO I	X	X	X														
ALFONSO II	X	X	X														
SANCHO II	X	X	X														
ALFONSO III	X																
DENIS	X																
ALFONSO IV	X																
PETER I	X			X	X												
FERDINAND I	X					X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
With Mint Marks																	
Lisbon						X		X	X	X	X	X	X			X	X
Oporto (Porto)								X			X	X	X	X	X		X
Camora (Zamora)											X	X	X	X			
Corunha (Coruna)											X	X	X	X			
Milmanda											X	X	X	X			
Coria (Goria)											X	X	X	X		X	X
Valencia											X	X					
Vila do Castelo																X	
Tui											X	X					
											X	X	X	X		X	
											X	X	X	X		X	
INTERREGNUM																	
DENIS									X								
BEATRIZ									X								
JOHN OF AVIZ									X	X							
With Mint Marks																	
Lisbon									X								
Oporto																	

Medieval Portuguese Mint, Denomination, and Ruler Relationships

HOUSE OF AVIZ															
	REAL	HALF REAL	QUARTER REAL	HALF REAL CRUZADO	REAL OF 3½ LIBRAS	REAL OF 10 SOLDOS	REAL GROSSO	REAL BRANCO	REAL PRETO	CEITIL	ESCUDO (GOLD)	HALF ESCUDO (GOLD)	LEAL	CRUZADO (GOLD)	CHIMFRAM
JOHN I	X	X	X	X	X	X				X					
With Mint Marks															
Lisbon	X	X		X	X	X									
Oporto	X	X	X	X	X	X									
Evora			X			X									
Ceuta										X					
EDWARD								X	X	X	X		X		
With Mint Marks															
Lisbon								X	X						
Oporto								X	X				X		
ALFONSO V	X						X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
With Mint Marks															
Lisbon							X	X						X	
Oporto							X	X	X	X			X	X	X
Ceuta	X								X				X		
Toro							X			X				X	
JOHN II										X			X		X
With Mint Marks															
Lisbon															X
Oporto															X

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JOHNSON PRESIDENTIAL MEDAL NOW ON SALE

The Lyndon B. Johnson medal has been added to the Presidential series of medals available for purchase from the bureau of the mint. The medal may be obtained from the superintendent, United States mint, Philadelphia, Pa. 19130. The cost is \$3.00 including postage. The medal is mint bronze, three inches in diameter.

The obverse contains a likeness of the President modeled by Gilroy Roberts, chief sculptor of the mint. Around the border is the inscription LYNDON B. JOHNSON.

The reverse has an adaptation of the seal of the President of the United States in the center. Above, around the border, are the words, PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES. Beneath the eagle in the seal is NOVEMBER 22, 1963, the date upon which President Johnson took office. Below and around the border is an inscription from the President's address before the joint session of Congress on November 27, 1963: WE WILL SERVE ALL THE NATION, — A UNITED PEOPLE WITH A UNITED PURPOSE. — LYNDON B. JOHNSON. The reverse is the work of Frank Gasparro, assistant chief sculptor of the mint.

The Presidential medal series includes medals for all former United States Presidents. Individual medals or the entire series may be purchased from the Philadelphia mint.

NICKEL AND COINAGE

Nickel and its alloys are popular as coinage materials, according to authorities, because the metals are readily available at a comparatively low cost; are corrosion resistant; possess a rich sheen and color; and are pleasant to the touch. A nickel coin is expected to last at least 40 years and even then can be remelted to make new coins. Because of their high melting point, nickel coins are difficult to counterfeit but not difficult to mint into attractive design.

Perhaps the most original reason for the popularity of a nickel coin was discovered by natives in the Fiji Islands. Not equipped with pockets and disdaining to carry purses, the natives carried coins in their mouths. They much preferred the nickel-alloy money because the coins left no unpleasant taste.

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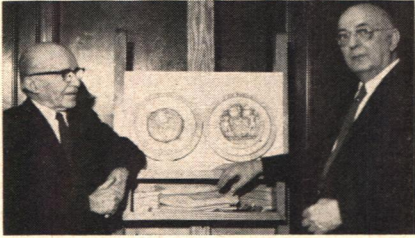
Members planning to attend the August 19-22 convention are urged to make their room reservations promptly by writing direct to the Sheraton-Cleveland Hotel, Public Square, Cleveland, Ohio 44113. With more than half the nation's population within a day's drive of Cleveland, a record breaking attendance is almost a certainty. To avoid standing in line to register for the convention, an advance registration form will be prepared for submission by mail prior to opening day. Big plans are in the making — it isn't too early for you to make plans to attend.

— R. T. McNAMARA, Gen. Chm.

WORLD'S FAIR MEDALS

Oklahomans have purchased more than 100,000 Oklahoma world's fair medals—enough for one out of every six families in the state—and is distributing them through a most unusual sales force: high school girl members of Future Homemakers of America. As a result of this all out sales activity, the Medallie Art Company, official producer of world's fair medals, has gone to six-day-a-week production. The Oklahoma world's fair commission expects to finance much of its operating costs through medal sales.

Brisk sales also are reported for the official New York world's fair medal itself, which is distributed by Coin & Currency Institute, 393 7th Ave., New York, to major department stores and other retail outlets, as well as at the fair. Of special interest to collectors is the limited silver edition of the official medal. Only 10,000, each serially numbered, will be pro-



Standing alongside their models of the official New York world's fair medal are, l. to r., the sculptor, Anthony de Francisci, and the designer, John Peterkin.

duced, and advance sales have exceeded expectations. Of 99% pure silver, this 1¾" medal is priced at \$15.00. Two other versions are available for popular sale: a 2½" bronze at \$4.00, and an 1½" titanium zinc at \$1.00.

The official New York world's fair medal features the Unisphere on the obverse and the seal of the City of New York, commemorating its 300th anniversary, on the reverse. While retaining the Unisphere side, other medals are being produced with appropriate sculptured designs for the reverse sides. The Oklahoma version has a mural depicting the state's attractions for industry. The Oklahoma world's fair commission at 1579 East 21st St., Tulsa 14, Okla. offers its 1½" bronze medal at \$1.00 plus handling charges of 25¢.

Several other fair exhibitors are planning special medals to commemorate their participation, according to



The Oklahoma medal.



Westchester County Coin Club medal.

William T. Louth, president of Medallie Art Company. He stressed that in all cases nationally known sculptors and designers are retained to produce the reverse models so as to main-

tain the high art quality of the official medal. Anthony de Francisci was the sculptor of the official New York world's fair medal, and John Peterkin was the designer.

To celebrate its 30th anniversary, the Westchester County Coin Club has issued an 1½" medal in both silver and bronze. The design for the reverse is new, derived from the club's

seal. The issue is limited to 75 in silver and 100 in bronze, and most have been distributed to members. The few remaining will be sold at \$10.00 for the set of silver and bronze, or \$3.00 for the bronze. No more than one set, or one bronze, will be sold each applicant, according to Ernest Weidhaas of the club, which is located in the New Rochelle, N. Y., YMCA.

Obituaries

ARCHER M. GRAHAM, A.N.A. NO. 3049

The Association lost a long and faithful member when Archer M. Graham passed away on February 17, 1964. He was 72 and joined the A.N.A. in September, 1926 personally sponsored by President Moritz Wormser. A notification of his death to Secretary Sherer's office, from his sister Margaret Graham, stated that "He enjoyed his long association (over 37 years) with the A.N.A." He received the 25-year continuous membership medal in 1951. — JWO

JAMES S. WILSON

James (Jimmy) Wilson, president of the American Publishing Co., Los Angeles, Calif. succumbed to a heart attack while visiting in Tokyo, Japan, during February. His numismatic activities were shared with his father, R. A. Wilson, a prominent Southern California numismatist and dealer in numismatic books and catalogs.

Wilson was, perhaps, better known as a sports figure. He had refereed numerous championship boxing bouts, which stemmed from coaching boxing during World War II. He received the silver star for bravery in action and attained the rank of major. He was a special service officer during the Korean conflict and organized USO entertainment units.

Personages from the sports, film, entertainment and military world as well as the numismatic field attended the funeral services. — JWO

MRS. ZIPORAH KRAUS

Mrs. Ziporah Kraus, wife of Ernst Kraus, *Numismatist* columnist of "New Issues," passed away March 27 after a long illness. She was active in the 1930s in forming the Brooklyn Coin Club and was a frequent visitor to the various coin clubs in the New York district. Besides her husband, she leaves two sons and a daughter and four grandchildren.

DR. FRANK A. LIMPert, A.N.A. NO. 12037

Frank A. Limpert D.D.S. died rather suddenly on February 3, 1964, at Harper hospital, Detroit, Michigan. He was born October 6, 1889 in Ann Arbor, Mich., and had resided in Madison Heights, Mich. for the last thirty-five years. A 1912 graduate of the University of Michigan Dental School, he was active in his profession until his retirement a few years ago. His survivors include his wife, four sons and one daughter.

Dr. Limpert joined the A.N.A. in 1946 as No. 12037. He specialized in U.S. paper money particularly fractional currency. He did considerable research and was considered an expert on paper money. His findings were published in *The Numismatist* as well as books and booklets on the subject.

Dr. Limpert was a charter member and a past president of the Royal Oak Coin Club. He was officiating at the annual installation of the club's officers when stricken. He was also a member of the Michigan State and Central States numismatic groups. His collection interests prompted his membership in the American Philatelic Society and the Essay-Proof Society. Collectors everywhere join the Royal Oak Coin Club in mourning the death of their honored and respected member. — JWO

EARL A. PARKER, A.N.A. NO. 8309

His many friends were stunned when a report was confirmed that Earl Parker, well known San Francisco professional numismatist, had died sud-

denly on February 7 of a heart attack. He was in Reno, Nev., at the time and had enjoyed good health all of his life.

Earl Albert Parker was born in Little Rock, Ark., on July 9, 1908. He moved to California in 1926 and, after finishing school, became a telegraph operator, then a securities salesman. He married Irene Larimee in 1930. She, two sons, a daughter and one grandchild survive him. He was a veteran of World War II.

Parker became interested in collecting coins about the time of his marriage. He combined business with pleasure in 1939 by becoming a part time dealer. He joined the A.N.A. in 1940 and became a full time professional numismatist in 1947. As one of the organizers of the California State Numismatic Association, he held membership No. 11, and was one of the first to join the Canadian Numismatic Association as No. 70. He also was a member of the American Numismatic Society, the Professional Numismatic Guild, and several other collecting organizations. While active in the formation of several associations and service on committees, he respectfully declined nominations as an officer in the belief that dealers should not hold elective offices in these groups. The one exception in his case, was when he served as president of the Pacific Coast Numismatic Society.

The death of amiable Earl will be mourned, not only by his family, associates and friends, but by the hundreds of collectors throughout the United States and Canada that he served over the last 25 years. Noted for his cheerful disposition, integrity and devotion to numismatics, he was held in high esteem by all who knew him. It was a privilege to consider Earl Parker a colleague and a friend. — JWO

CALENDAR OF FUTURE NUMISMATIC EVENTS

- Greater Atlanta Coin Show.** Atlanta, DeKalb, Marietta and Tri-City Coin Clubs. April 30-May 2, Hotel Georgian Terrace, Peachtree St. at Ponce de Leon Ave., Atlanta. Gen. Chm. George M. Todd, 106 W. Paces Ferry Road, N.W., Atlanta, Ga. 30305.
- Metropolitan New York Numismatic Convention,** April 30-May 3, Park Sheraton Hotel. Edward K. Hessberg, Sec., 202 Mamaroneck Ave., Room 406, White Plains, N.Y.
- Greater Lakeland Coin Club.** Annual show, May 1-3, Civic Center, Lakeland, Fla.
- Hutchinson Coin Club.** Spring show, May 2-3, State Fair Grounds, Hutchinson. Mrs. Raymond Billingsly, Sec., P.O. Box 845, Hutchinson, Kansas 67501.
- Middlesex County Coin Club.** Fourth annual show, May 3, The Pine, Rt. 27, Metuchen, N. J. Chm. Stanley Katz, 40 Lewis St., Cranford, N. J.
- Port Huron Coin Club and Sarnia Numis. Soc.** Blue Water spring show, May 3, American Legion Hall, Port Huron. Chm. Mrs. Edward Gossman, 3476 W. Water St., Port Huron, Mich.
- Louisiana Numismatic Ass'n Annual Convention,** May 9-10, Capitol House Hotel, Baton Rouge. Chm. Warren L. Young, P.O. Box 14513, Baton Rouge, La. 70808.
- Alexandria Coin Club.** Second show, May 9-10, Alexandria Recreation Hall, 1605 Cameron St. Club address, P.O. Box 2095, Alexandria, Va.
- Amarillo Coin Club.** Annual show, May 15-17, Holiday Inn West, Amarillo. Bourse Chm. Ben G. Lane, 2118 Lipscomb St., Amarillo, Texas.
- Indiana State Numis. Assn.** Sixth annual convention, May 15-17, Severin Hotel, Indianapolis. Chm. Carl W. Simons, Jr., R.R. No. 9, Box 265-J, Indianapolis, Ind.
- Grand Prairie Coin Club.** Third annual show, May 16-17 (new date) Recreational Bldg. Gen. Chm. D. B. Nichols, P.O. Box 504, Grand Prairie, Texas 75050.
- Laurel Mountains Coin Club.** Third annual show, May 16-17, Summit Hotel, six miles east of Uniontown. Chm. Earl E. Keller, Jr., 419 Morgantown St., Uniontown, Penna. 15401.
- Arkansas Numis. Soc.** Sixteenth annual conv., May 16-17, LaFayette Hotel, Little Rock. Greater Little Rock Coin Club, host, P.O. Box 374, Little Rock, Ark.
- Austin Coin & Stamp Club.** Second annual show, May 16-17, Red Cedar Inn, Austin. Chm. Charles Robinson, P.O. Box 114, Austin, Minn.
- Marion Coin Stamp & Hobby Club.** Eighth annual show, May 16-17, UAW-CIO Hall, Marion, Ohio. Chm. Herman Rech, 530 Mound St., Marion, Ohio.
- Wayne County Coin Club.** Ninth spring show, May 17, VFW Community Center, Wooster. Chm. Randall Hartley, 738 Hamilton Ave., Wooster, Ohio.
- Wichita Coin Club.** Spring show, May 16-17, St. Anthony's Community Center. Chm. Oscar Bell, 1207 Crowley, Wichita, Kansas.
- Rockford Area Coin Club.** Spring show, May 17, Faust Hotel, Rockford, Ill. Chm. Ralph Winquist, 1004 "C" St., Rockford, Ill.
- Pacific Northwest Numis. Assn.** Twenty-first annual convention, May 21-24, Benson Hotel, Portland, Ore. Bourse Chm. John Slusher, 510 S.W. 5th Ave., Portland Oregon 97204.

- Newport County Coin Club. Coin-Arama, May 22-23, Shamrock Cliff Hotel, Newport. Chm. Robert Brinton, 131 Beacon St., Newport, R. I.
- Empire State Numis. Assn. Twenty-eighth semiannual convention, May 22-24, Statler Hilton Hotel, Buffalo. Gen. Chm. James Barwell, 348 Riverside Ave., Buffalo, N. Y. 14207.
- Kentucky State Numismatic Assn. Louisville Coin Club, host. Convention May 22-24, Brown Hotel, Louisville, Ky. Gen. Chm. Walter H. Ragland, 9214 Cavalcade Ave., Valley Station, Ky. 40172.
- Winona Coin Club. Festival of Coins, May 23-24, Hotel Winona, Winona. Roland W. Finner, Sec., 225 West 2nd St., Winona, Minn.
- Hershey Coin Club. Second annual show, May 30-31, Hershey, Pa. Mrs. Ruby Bowman, Sec., R. D. No. 2, Box 149, Palmyra, Penna.
- Numismatists of Wisconsin. Annual convention, June 5-7, Park Motor Inn, Madison. Madison Coin Club host. Bourse Chm. Gordon Gill, 3614 Spring Trail, Madison, Wisc.
- Zebulon Pike Coin Club. Sixth annual S. Colorado convention, June 5-7, Antlers Hotel, Colorado Springs. Chm. Henry Stark, 614 Huron Rd., Colorado Springs, Colo.
- Kalamazoo Numis Club. Fourth annual show, June 5-7, Southgate Inn, Kalamazoo. Chm. John E. Rodgers, 107 Edgemoor, Kalamazoo, Mich.
- South Dakota Coin & Stamp Assn. Thirteenth annual convention, June 12-14, City Auditorium, Watertown. Gen. Chm. Ed Kampen, 915 W. Kemp, Watertown, S. D.
- Hunting Park Coin Club. Second open house, June 13, Mann Recreation Center, Philadelphia. Frank E. Janczuk, 2153 S. Hancock St., Philadelphia, 19148.
- Altoona Coin Club. Fourteenth show, June 13-14, Penn Alto Hotel, Altoona, Pa. Chm. Edgar C. Magill, 1206 Third Ave., Duncansville, Penna.
- Pomona Valley Coin Club. Fourth annual show, June 13-14, Los Angeles Co. Fair Hobby Bldg. Chm. LeRoy Myers, 1493 Singingwood Ave., Pomona, Calif.
- Wichita Falls Stamp & Coin Club. Third annual show, June 13-14, Maskat Shrine Temple. Chm. William Rust, c/o the Club, P. O. Box 1538, Wichita Falls, Texas.
- Puget Sound Numis. Assn. Coin-a-rama, June 19-21, Leopold Hotel, Bellingham. Chm. Virgil Corder, P. O. Box 824, Bellingham, Wash.
- Modesto-Turlock Coin Club. Fifth annual Coin Carnival, June 21, Turlock War Memorial Auditorium. Chm. Tom Taylor, Club's P. O. Box 1917, Modesto, Calif. 95353.
- Treasure Island Coin Club. Coin Fiesta, June 26-28, Hotel Galvez, Galveston. Chm. E. E. White, 412 Pine St., LaMarque, Texas.
- Santa Barbara Coin Club. Sixth annual show, June 27-28, Marmonte Hotel, Santa Barbara. Gen. Chm. Ray Bowers, P. O. Box 291, Ojai, Calif.
- Alabama Numismatic Society. Fourth annual Convention, July 15-18, Birmingham. Chm. Mrs. Purnie Moore, P. O. Box 3601, West End, Birmingham, Ala. 35211.
- Blue Ridge Numis. Assn. Fifth annual convention, July 29-Aug. 1, City Auditorium, Asheville. Chm. Sherman G. Whetstone, 38 Warwick Rd., Asheville, N. C.
- AMERICAN NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION. SEVENTY-THIRD ANNUAL CONVENTION, AUGUST 19-22, 1964, SHERATON-CLEVELAND HOTEL, CLEVELAND, OHIO. GEN. CHMN. R. T. McNAMARA, BOX 735, CLEVELAND 22, OHIO.
- Canadian Numismatic Association. Eleventh annual convention, Aug. 27-29, Nova Scotian Hotel, Halifax. Halifax Coin Club host. Chm. A. Mitchell MacDonald, P. O. Box 243, Armdale, Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada.
- Iowa Numis. Assn. Annual Convention, Sept. 11-13, Sheraton-Montrose Hotel, Cedar Rapids. Chm. Joseph Schindler, 1533 7th Ave., S. E., Cedar Rapids, Iowa.
- Penn-Ohio Coin Clubs. Convention, Sept. 18-20, Webster Hall Hotel, Pittsburgh. Host, Pittsburgh Numismatic Society. Chm. Ray Byrne, 701 N. Negley Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. 15206.
- Virginia Numis. Assn. Sixth annual convention, Sept. 18-20, George Washington Hotel, Winchester. Chm. C. J. Affleck, 34 Peyton St., Winchester, Va.
- New England Numismatic Assn. Twentieth annual convention, Oct. 2-4, Sheraton-Plaza Hotel, Boston. Co-Chm. Elliott Goldberg of West Roxbury and Charles Wallace of Allston, Mass.
- Cal State Numis. Assn. Convention, Oct. 22-25, Disneyland Hotel, Anaheim, Cal. Chm. Herbert M. Bergen, P. O. Box 98, Brea, Cal.
- Middle Atlantic Numis. Assn. Twelfth annual convention, Oct. 23-25, Claridge Hotel, Atlantic City, N. J. South Jersey Coin Club, host. Chm. Frank C. Oertle, 315 Fayette St., Bridgeton, N. J.
- Greater Ozarks Numis. Assn. Annual show, Nov. 6-8, Bob Cummings Motor Hotel, Joplin, Mo. Gen. Chm. Haskell O. Trusty, P. O. Box 2155, Joplin, Mo.

JAPANESE COMMEMORATIVES. The government of Japan is planning to strike 80 million coins of 100 yen denomination to commemorate the 1964 Olympic games in Tokyo.

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NATURE PRINTING ON COLONIAL AND CONTINENTAL CURRENCY

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Kenneth Scott and the author in 1957 and thereafter¹⁸ stressed the fact that Continental Currency was printed from type and cuts and not from copper plates but the author had no inkling that the leaf cuts had not originated from hand engraving.

The nature prints on the reverse of the Continental Currency add to the evidence that any copper plates for Continental Currency are plates for counterfeits and not for genuine bills. These nature prints conclusively show that the elements assembled in the form to print the Continental Currency were cast type, cast ornaments, castings of hand engraved borders, castings of hand engraved circular cuts, and castings of nature prints. No stereotype of the entire note or sheet was used, because on occasion a letter changes position during the printing of an issue.

Pennsylvania

As heretofore pointed out, Franklin began printing Pennsylvania paper money in 1731. The first leaf cuts were introduced on the reverses of all denominations of Pennsylvania currency dated August 10, 1739 (Illustration No. 3). These blackberry and willow leaf prints were identical on each denomination and were re-used on the August 1, 1746, issue. The issues dated August 1, 1744, and May 16, 1749, were of smaller denominations and contained no printing on the reverse. The two highest denominations of the October 1, 1755 issue, being 5 and 10 shillings (Illustrations Nos. 11 and 12) contained new separate leaf prints hereinbefore mentioned, the balance of the issue apparently having blank reverses. Thereafter each denomination of Pennsylvania currency developed a separate leaf print history of its own. The £5, £3, £2, 30 shilling, 10 shilling, and 5 shilling notes have been mentioned in connec-

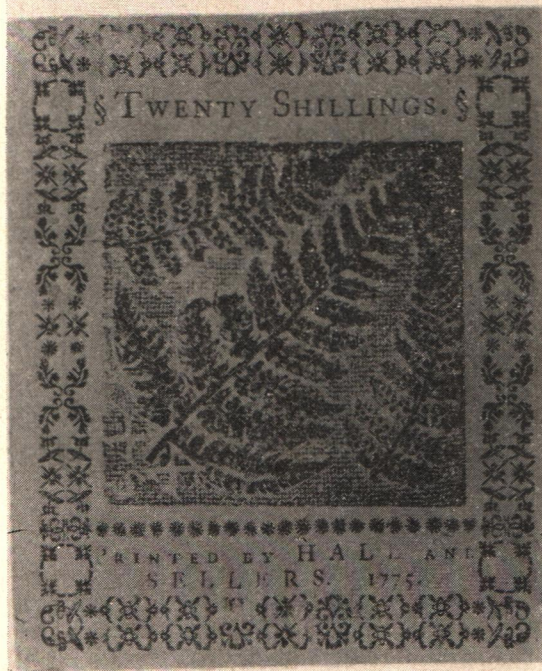
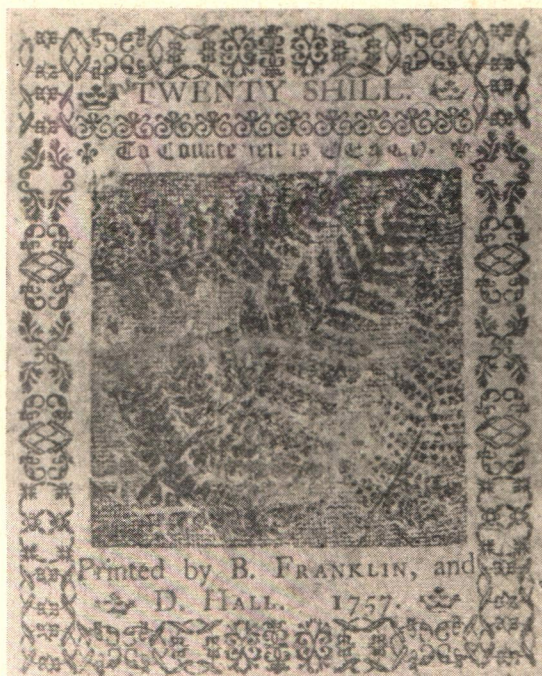
tion with Continental Currency.

A print of three fern pinnules on a cloth background (Illustration No. 16) is found on the reverse of all issues of the 20 shilling notes of Pennsylvania between January 1, 1756, and April 25, 1776, having nature prints. Prior to the June 14, 1764, issue, an XX was engraved into these cuts. In the March 20, 1771 and subsequent issues an S for shillings was added. The S is directly beneath the XX in all combinations with B plate obverses and on the October 25, 1775 issue without any plate letter. The S is at the right of the XX in all combinations with A plate letter obverses. In the June 15, 1767 issue another cut of the same leaf was used on the 80 shilling note with an L and an X straddling the existing XX to form LXXX as the denomination. In the March 1, 1769 issue still another cut of the same leaf was used for a 12 shilling note with an XII engraved into the casting. Examination of these fern nature prints indicates that two separate sets of leaves were used to make the original intaglios, for the leaves on some cuts differ slightly from those on others. This is the only situation found in which an attempt was made to duplicate a nature print with a new set of original leaves.

A print of one pinnule of a fern is found on the reverse of most issues of 15 shilling notes of Pennsylvania from January 1, 1756 through October 25, 1775. Up to March 10, 1759, these contained XV cut into the casting. On that date an S was added to make XVS. The same cut was used in the £2 note of the June 15, 1767 issue with 2 L engraved into the cut.

There was a design of diagonal and vertical stripes (Illustration No. 17), used by Franklin & Hall on the reverse of the 2 shilling 6 pence Pennsylvania issue of January 1, 1756, but an examination by the botanists here-

¹⁸Eric P. Newman, "Counterfeit Continental Currency Goes to War," *The Numismatist*, Vol. 70, No. 1 & 2 (Jan., Feb., 1957), p. 5 et seq., reprinted; Kenneth Scott, *Counterfeiting in Colonial America* (New York, 1957), pp. 139-140; Eric P. Newman "Historic Printing Plate Located," *Coin World*, Dec. 8, 1961, p. 10.



16. Identical fern nature prints on backs of 20 shilling notes of Pennsylvania showing XX on 1757 issue modified to XX over S on 1775 issue.

tofore named indicates that it was hand-engraved and not a composite design made up from plants. It is the only cut for the reverse of any of Franklin's Pennsylvania notes which is not a nature print. It appeared again on the same denomination in the April 3, 1772, October 25, 1775, and April 25, 1776 issues, these being printed by Hall & Sellers. The identical cut was re-used by John Dunlap on the reverse of the 2 shilling 6 pence Pennsylvania note of April 10, 1781. This was the last Pennsylvania issue employing cuts made by Franklin.

particular interest because the warp and woof of the cloth background are both very wavy, indicating that an actual piece of damp cloth was used for reproduction. This cast cut was originally modified by having the denomination 1.6 engraved into it. Two identical cuts of this leaf were converted for use in the 40 shilling notes of April 3, 1772 by altering the 1.6 into a 40 and placing an S above the 40 (Illustration No. 18). These cuts continued in use for the 40 shilling denomination of the July 20, 1775, December 8, 1775, and April 25, 1776



17. 1756 Pennsylvania 2 shilling 6 pence note with imprint of only cut on Pennsylvania currency backs originating from hand engraving during Franklin era.

The 2 shilling Pennsylvania issues of January 1, 1756 and June 18, 1764 contain a print of a meadow sage leaf on their reverses. The identical cut was re-used on the £4 note of June 15, 1767, with 80S engraved upon it. A new cut of a strawberry leaflet was used by Hall & Sellers for the 2 shilling notes of the April 3, 1772, October 25, 1775, and April 25, 1776 issues and re-used by John Dunlap for the same denomination in the April 10, 1781 issue.

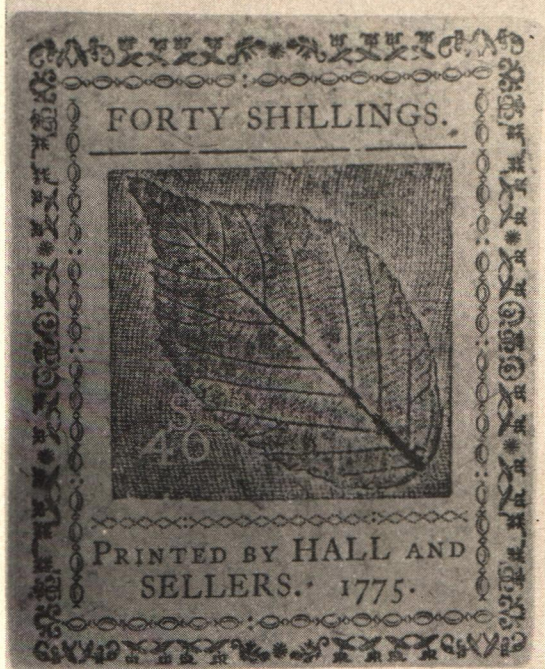
A nature print of an elm leaf was used on the 18 pence notes of Pennsylvania issued January 1, 1756 and June 18, 1764 (Illustration No. 18). It is of

issues. A new and different leaf cut for the 18 pence denomination was introduced. The new leaf print consists of rose leaves and is found on the reverse of the April 3, 1772, October 25, 1775, April 25, 1776, and April 10, 1781 issues (Illustration No. 19).

The 1 shilling Pennsylvania issue of June 18, 1764, contains a strawberry leaf on its reverse. The cut then appears on the £6 note of the June 15, 1767, issue with CXX.S engraved upon it (Illustration No. 14). Another identical cut with "one sh" engraved upon it appears on the issues of April 3, 1772, October 25, 1775, and April 25, 1776 (Illustration No. 20).

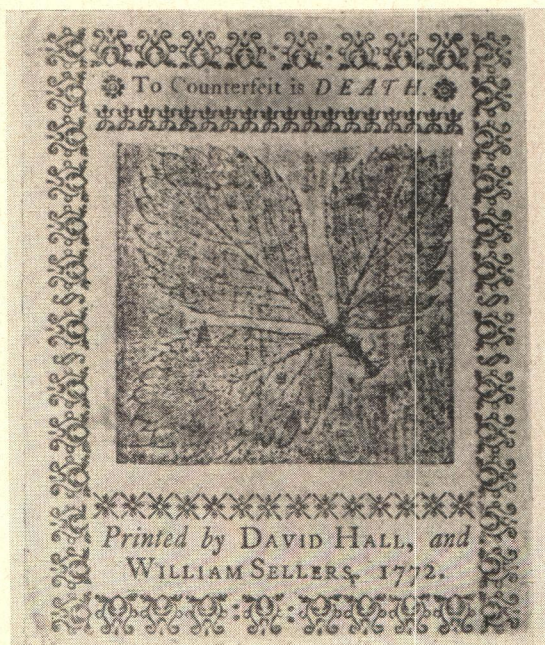


18. Identical leaf and cloth print on back of 1756 Pennsylvania 18 pence and of 1775-76 Pennsylvania 40 shilling with engraved denomination modified.





19. Typical rose leaf
print on 1772-81 Pennsylv-
vania 18 pence notes.



20. Typical strawberry
leaf print on 1772-76 Penn-
sylvania 1 shilling notes.
(Compare with No. 14)



21. Back of 1759 Delaware 10 shilling note containing both a nature print and engraved animal print. The artist's name "LEECH" can be seen on the right side of the animal print.



22. Back of 1759 Delaware 20 shilling note having imprints originating from nature casts and hand engraved animal cuts.

The reverse of the April 29, 1780, issue of Pennsylvania currency printed by John Dunlap contains a completely new and distinctive set of leaf prints. The following April 20, 1781 issue used the same 1780 leaf prints where the denominations coincided, but where new low denominations were added, three cuts of pre-Revolutionary Pennsylvania prints were re-used as previously stated.

From the foregoing it is clear that many of the Pennsylvania leaf cuts prepared during the Franklin printing

shop had a life of about ten years,¹⁹ it is not unreasonable that cuts which were used only on occasion could continue to be serviceable for as long as twenty-five years.

The final Pennsylvania issue of 1785, printed by Francis Bailey, has an entirely new set of oblong leaf prints, the leaves on many of which are sheared off at the border of the cut. This, again, indicates that some original negative castings were larger and that the cast cuts were trimmed off to the desired size.



23. Typical back of 1746-1783 New Jersey paper currency with nature print of sage leaf compared with back of 1786 New Jersey issue showing hand engraved lines supplementing nature print and SIC (Sculpsit Isaac Collins) cut on main vein.

era were used intermittently over a span of twenty years or more, the longest period of service being twenty-five years between 1756 and 1781. Since various type fonts which were in constant use in Franklin's printing

Delaware

Although Franklin had printed Delaware currency since 1729, leaf cuts first appeared on Delaware currency on the February 28, 1746, issue. These cuts were oblong and occupied

¹⁹C. William Miller, "Benjamin Franklin's Philadelphia Type," *Studies in Bibliography*, Vol. 11 (Charlottesville, Va., 1958), p. 189.

only a small part of the reverse, the balance of the space being filled with cuts cast from animal engravings, ornamentation, and "Printed by B. Franklin," etc. A different leaf cut and a different animal cut was used on each denomination. These same leaf cuts and animal cuts were re-used on corresponding denominations of the January 1, 1753, May 1, 1756; March 1, 1758, and May 1, 1758 issues "Printed by B. Franklin and D. Hall" but in the two 1758 issues a new leaf cut was used on the 10 shilling notes and the

1762, so there is no doubt that David Hall had been taught the technique of leaf prints. The two complete changes in leaf cuts during this interval were contrary to the practice in Pennsylvania of standardizing one leaf print for each denomination, regardless of issue date, although the Delaware animal cuts remained consistent.

The animal cut for the 10 shilling note contains the engraver's name, "Leech" (Illustration No. 21).

When Delaware currency issues were resumed on January 1, 1776, James Adams had become the printer and no nature prints were used on this series or the final Delaware issue of May 1, 1777.

New Jersey

Franklin introduced leaf prints to New Jersey currency with the issue of July 2, 1746, by placing a sage leaf on the reverse of each denomination. Virtually all issues of New Jersey paper currency thereafter had the same sage leaf on the reverse. When James Parker, a former New York printer and friend of Franklin, took over as printer from the May 15, 1755 issue through the April 16, 1764 issue, the sage leaf cuts continued in use. Identical leaf cuts were used on each denomination of an issue (Illustration No. 23).

On the February 20, 1776 issue, when Isaac Collins became printer, an entirely different cut is introduced on the reverse of each note. It likewise is the same on each denomination but is printed as a white on black design. The outline and veins of the leaf appear in white, and the interior of the leaf and the field surrounding the leaf are black. A glance at the leaf shows it is hand-engraved and not nature printed, as the veins improperly overlap each other in some areas and make unnatural curves in others. These cuts were intaglios by virtue of the portions taking ink being background only (Illustration No. 24). Since many were used at the same time, it appears that all these cuts had to be cast from a plaster negative which in turn was cast from a design engraved on copper or other metal, or wood.

For the issues of March 25, 1776, January 9, 1781, and December 20, 1783, Isaac Collins returned to the identical sage leaf nature prints which his predecessors had used. However, on the back of all notes of the final New Jersey currency issue authorized on May 16, 1786, the nature prints appear unrealistically altered. The



24. Back of New Jersey February 20, 1776, note with leaf cut originating from hand engraving.

cut formerly used on the 10 shilling notes was transferred to the 20 shilling notes. The June 1, 1759, notes had a new set of leaf cuts on the reverse, the shape being changed to square, but, again, there was no change in the animal cuts (Illustrations Nos. 21 and 22). The May 31, 1760, issue had another new set of larger leaf cuts, resulting in the elimination of the animal cuts on the reverse.

Benjamin Franklin was in England from July 26, 1757, to November 1,

area near the perimeter has many unnatural lines, some of which are criss-crossed (Illustration No. 23). Appearing in white along the thick part of the principal vein are what seem to be a reversed slanting S followed by an I C in block letter capitals. Since Isaac Collins was the printer, it is a reasonable guess that the initials represent "Sculpsit Isaac Collins." The man-made lines must have been engraved into the nature cut to strengthen its detail.

These 1786 New Jersey notes appear to be the final use of Franklin's nature printing process anywhere.

The only counterfeit currency containing leaves produced by Franklin's nature printing process seems to have been the 30 shilling Plate B New Jersey notes dated April 16, 1764. The original counterfeits had the misspelling SHILLIGNS on the reverse. Thereafter the spelling was corrected but the corrected counterfeits show a different sage leaf nature print substituted. The nature prints are so superbly done on these counterfeits that it is entirely possible that the leaf cuts could have been surreptitiously removed from the possession of James Parker, the official printer. In any event the counterfeits can be distinguished from the genuine notes by the coat-of-arms, the border designs, the half sum ornament, etc. on the front and by differences in the type size, the ornament position, the omission of the period after DEATH, etc., on the back. The six different plate letter varieties of genuine 30 shilling notes of the April 16, 1764, issue all have arms, borders, and ornaments cast from identical hand engraved molds. There is also a crude counterfeit of Plate G of the New Jersey 30

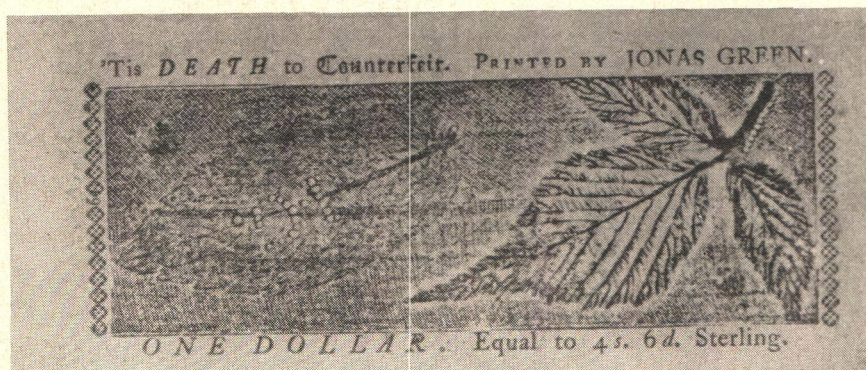
shilling note of April 16, 1764, but the leaf design on the back is hand engraved and not nature printed.

Maryland Nature Prints

From 1733 through the issue of April 6, 1751, Maryland paper currency was printed from one set of copper plates engraved in England, five notes of the same denomination being on each plate. The backs were blank and the final half of the date was filled in by hand.

For the July 14, 1756 issue, the advantage of using type, ornamentation, cuts, and nature prints of leaves was recognized as a better protection against counterfeiting. Pennsylvania, New Jersey, and Delaware had adopted such practices. Jonas Green, the printer, combined many elements in printing the front of each note in relief. The cuts consisted of the Maryland coat of arms, decorative strips on the indentured left end, and border strips, some being wood blocks and some being type metal castings made from intricate hand engraved intaglios. The back had different nature prints on each known denomination.

The next issue, authorized by Maryland in 1767, consisted of dollar denominations and their fractions, instead of Maryland shillings and pence as in the past. Other than the coat of arms, new cuts were made for the front of these bills of credit. These contain the name or initials of the artist, T. Sparrow, sculp't, T.S. or Thomas Sparrow. In some of the bills the printer's name is included in the cuts and in type as J. G. Printer, I. G. Printer, J. Green or I. G. the I being the Latinized abbreviation for Jonas.

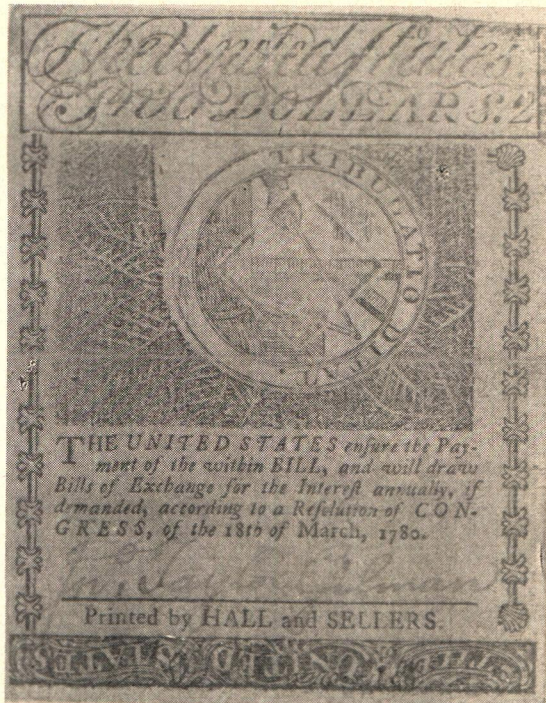


25. Typical nature print on back of 1756-1774 Maryland notes showing Jonas Green's initials I. G. punched into cast cut.

On the back of the bills, the cuts of nature printed leaf and cloth designs used in 1756 were re-used (Illustration No. 25). There are eight different leaf prints on the back of the eleven denominations, a carrot and sage leaf cut formerly on the 1 shilling of 1756 being used for the \$1/3 and \$4, a cherry and blackberry leaf cut for the \$1 and \$6, and a dill and blackberry leaf cut formerly on the 18 pence of 1756 being used for the \$2 and \$8. The cut on the 5 shilling was used on the \$2/9, and the cut on the 20 shilling on the \$2/3.

When the 1770 Maryland bills of credit were printed by A.C. and W. Green as successors to Jonas Green, the identical cuts were re-used on the fronts and the identical nature print cuts were re-used on the backs of corresponding denominations. Similarly, in the 1774 issues, the same cuts were used on the same denominations, the name of the printing firm having become Anne Catherine and F. Green.

The nature print used on the \$2/3 of the 1770 and 1774 issues is upside down when compared with its position on the 1767 issue. This merely cor-



26. Typical back of 1780 state \$2 note guaranteed by United States with broken cut of hand engraved leaf design.

Of these eight nature designs there is an I G in white appearing within five of these prints. These initials of Jonas Green on four prints are punched in dotted form into the cut itself rather than into the intaglio from which the cut was cast (Illustration No. 25). The fifth cut has the initials incised in solid letters. Jonas Green apparently was quite proud of his nature printing and put his initials on his work to indicate his artistry. He obviously learned the technique from Franklin, who was his friend and who authorized him to print some issues of *Poor Richard's Almanac*.

roborates that the leaf cut was separate from the type surrounding it.

The identification of the nature prints on the 1756, 1767, 1770, and 1774 issues appears to be as follows:

- \$1/9, common yarrow.
- 6d & \$1/6, pinnae of ferns.
- 5 sh & \$2/9, hops and blackberry.
- 1 sh, \$1/3 & \$4, carrot and sage.
- \$1/2, pear and unidentified leaf.
- 20 sh & \$2/3, involucre of dill or carrot.
- \$1 & \$6, cherry or apple, and blackberry.

18d, \$2 & \$8, dill and blackberry.

None of the issues of Maryland paper money after 1774 contains nature prints.

The Guaranteed Issues

By resolution of March 18, 1780, the Continental Congress authorized the United States to guarantee the payment of a new series of notes to be issued by each state. One group containing circular insignia of the type first used on Continental Currency in 1775 was issued by the states of New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, New York, New Jersey, and Maryland. The second group containing circular insignia of the higher denominations of the 1779 Continental Currency was issued by Pennsylvania and Virginia. All were printed in red and black by Hall & Sellers in Philadelphia. They contain various floral and leaf designs surrounding the circular insignia on the reverse of the \$2, \$4, \$5, and \$7 denominations issued by the first group and on the reverses of all denominations of the second group. These leaf designs are so crude in artistic quality as to indicate conclusively that they were the result of hand engraving and not reproductions from nature. It is evident that intaglio cuts were used because the perimeter, veins, and stems of the leaves are in white (Illustration No. 26).

On the reverses of the \$1 and \$2 denominations of the first group and on the reverses of the \$4 denomination of the second group appear unnatural white spaces adjacent to the circular vignette. It is evident that these are areas where the cut broke off when the hole for the circular vignette was drilled or cut out (Illustration No. 26). On the other denominations the holes were made in the cut without difficulty. This shows that the cut for the circular vignette was prepared separately and inserted into the rectangular cut for the back of the note.

⁴Exhibition at Philadelphia Museum of Art from May 2 to June 9, 1963. *A World of Flowers: Paintings and Prints*, Philadelphia Museum of Art Bulletin, Vol. LVIII, No. 277 (Spring, 1963), pp. 236-242.

²⁰Alois Auer, *Die Entdeckung des Naturselbstdruckes* (Vienna, 1854).

Re-invention of Nature Printing

When the process of electroplating was discovered in 1837 by Moritz Jacobi in St. Petersburg, the dawn of electro-typing was at hand. It then became possible to use a soft or weak material in making a negative mold of an object, which mold could be plated with metal. In 1854, Alois Auer of Vienna undertook to obtain a putty or prepared lead impression of a botanical specimen and to copper plate the impression. The concave side of the copper plating then was filled with metal and the convex surface used to emboss the detail on a lead sheet for printing. In this way he produced plates for a botanical book. Believing his idea was new he took credit for "The Discovery of the Natural Printing Process."²⁰ When Henry Bradbury's book entitled "Nature Printing and its Origin and Objects" was published in London in 1856, the credit was given to Auer for the first nature printing from plates. The many books on botany and on botanical illustrations do not mention Franklin's idea or the American paper money leaf prints which preceded Auer's discovery by more than a century. In a search of books on printing techniques for a mention of this phase of Franklin's accomplishment in that field, nothing was found.

Conclusion

Thus it appears that Franklin and the currency printers of early America, with whom Franklin shared his knowledge, kept his invention a secret in spite of the fact that the product of their work was widely circulated from its issuance and widely collected since its demonetization. The ingenuity of the mind of Franklin to invent a process which was clever enough to be seen but not to be recognized for 226 years⁴ bespeaks of his genius. In the history of printing, Franklin turned over a "new leaf" if you, gentle reader, will pardon a pun in that "vein."

One of the most unexpected depictions on a modern coin is the stalk, or bunch, of bananas on the obverse of the 1961 gold five francs of Katanga. For a simple yet unusually artistic treatment of a simple subject, see the bulls' heads on the reverse of the aluminum 1, 2 and 5 franc coins of Madagascar.

Proposal to Change the Silver Content of Our Coins

[The traditional mixture of 90% silver and 10% copper in our silver coins has suddenly been challenged by a bill (S. 2671) introduced in the senate by Sen. Metcalf and other western senators. This proposal would change the ratio to 80% silver and 20% copper. Anticipating little opposition, Sen. Robertson, chairman of the senate banking and currency committee, hastily scheduled hearings.

The house of representatives appropriation committee refused to approve the minting of new silver dollars unless and until the silver content was lowered. The western senators, ever mindful of the silver interests back home, proposed the change to meet the terms of the house committee.

The testimony of Senators Bible, Cannon, Mansfield, Church, Saltonstall, Metcalf and Jordan, along with others, was heard. Among those testifying was Robert V. Roosa, acting secretary of the treasury. Because the comments of the latter states the treasury's position at this time so clearly and because his remarks cover points of interest to American coin collectors, we are printing Roosa's statement of April 2 in full. — EDITOR]

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen:

I am happy to appear before your committee this morning to testify on S. 2671, a bill introduced by Senator Metcalf and others to reduce the silver content of all of our silver coins by reducing the fineness of silver in them from 900 to 800 one-thousandths.

We believe that passage of the legislation before your committee would in fact raise the monetary value of silver to \$1.45. This would in turn soon cause the disappearance from circulation of all presently outstanding silver dollars, would in all probability in the near future lead to the melting-down of our present subsidiary silver coinage, and would lead to an impossible situation for the mints in supplying the coinage needs of our country. Instead, we believe that the best way to meet the present needs of the western states will be for the senate to appropriate the funds requested by the treasury for the minting of additional silver dollars of the present fineness. We recognize, of course, that action on this request is for the appropriations committee, not this committee. I shall set forth our reasons for our views on the effects of S. 2671 at some length further on in my statement.

First, I should like to say that the treasury recognizes the disappointment of certain of the western states caused by the exhaustion of the present stock of silver dollars held in the treasury. As you know, this stock has been reduced to some three million silver dollars which have a considerable numismatic value. Last week Secretary Dillon stopped further distribution of these silver dollars from the treasury when he found that they could no longer be distributed equitably for their principal use as a circulating medium of exchange. The treasury realizes that unless additional silver dollars are minted, and made available in the western states, there will be a strong tendency for the large number of those now in circulation in the west to disappear gradually into the hands of collectors.

Having in mind the rapidly dwindling supply of silver dollars available, the treasury requested \$675,000 in a supplemental appropriation request for 1964 in order to mint 50 million silver dollars during the rest of this fiscal year. In addition, our budget for 1965 included a request for \$1,250,000 for the minting of 100 million silver dollars. As you know, the house of representatives did not include any funds for this purpose in the treasury, post office and executive office appropriation bill for 1965 which was passed on March 24 of this year. Instead the house allowed \$100,000 out of our supplemental appropriation request for 1964 to be used exclusively for making smaller coins and \$650,000 of our request for \$1,250,000 for the same purpose. Secretary Dillon wrote to you, Mr. Chairman, on March 25 of this year, in your capacity as chairman of the treasury-post office subcommittee of the senate committee on appropriations, appealing to that committee for restoration of certain of the house reductions in the treasury appropriation request. In that letter he asked the appropriations subcommittee to restore \$200,000 out of the supplemental request to enable the mint to produce about 15 million silver dollars in fiscal 1964 and also \$600,000 of the request for fiscal 1965 to permit the minting of at least 45 million additional silver dollars in that year.

The house appropriations committee and the house of representatives itself considered the problem of the vanishing supply of silver dollars at length

before acting on the 1965 appropriations bill. It was suggested in the hearings of the house appropriations subcommittee that legislation reducing the silver content of the silver dollar and the other coins might be effective both to reduce the drain on the treasury's supply of silver and to produce a silver dollar which would not be worth a dollar in silver bullion value and therefore would stay in circulation more readily than the present silver dollar. Careful consideration was given to this suggestion. The report of the house committee on appropriations contained the following statement:

The committee has disallowed the request to resume the minting of silver dollars at this time. The committee held extensive hearings on this subject and carefully considered statements by congressional delegations representing the silver states. This is not a simple problem of authorizing funds for the minting of additional silver dollars. Many other factors are involved, and the committee carefully considered every alternative. The committee is fully aware of the importance attached to this issue by the silver states; however, in view of the facts developed during the investigations and hearings, the committee could support only one conclusion—that the best interests of all the people require that the total minting capacity of the two existing mints be devoted entirely to meeting the critical shortage in minor coins.

Among the major considerations which support the committee's position are the following:

(a) The shortage in minor coins at the present time is the most critical in the history of the mint, and the demand is increasing at a rate that has outstripped the capacity of both existing mints, even at three-shift, seven-day operation. Every denomination of coin is now being rationed. There is no currency substitute for minor coins such as there is for silver dollars.

(b) The new mint to be constructed in Philadelphia, for which funds are allowed in this bill, will not be in actual production for several years.

(c) Additional silver dollars can be minted only at the expense of minting minor coins.

(d) At the present rate of usage, the supply of free silver in the treasury will be exhausted in seven or eight years. At the present time, the United States is using silver annually at a rate approximately equal to the entire world production. Considerable quantities of silver are being consumed in defense activities and cannot be recovered.

(e) The amount of silver in a silver dollar, at current prices, is worth slightly more than a dollar, while the amount of silver in two half dollars is worth about 92 cents. The committee feels that additional silver dollars should not be minted until the Congress enacts legislation concerning the silver content of the silver dollar. Should the price of silver continue to rise, even just a few cents per ounce, it would be profitable to melt down silver dollars for the silver content. The minting of additional silver dollars, at this time, would only serve to aggravate the problem.

The debate in the house of representatives revealed clearly that in making the statement in point (e) above, that additional silver dollars should not be minted until the congress enacts legislation concerning the silver content of the silver dollar, the committee had in mind that in any case mint capacity should not be used for minting silver dollars until the new mint to be built in Philadelphia was completed and the existing shortage of other coins remedied. As Chairman Gary of the appropriations subcommittee said before the house, "We have said then that if you will get this content changed by legislation—we have no authority over that—we will go ahead with this mint, and as soon as we possibly can we will recommend the minting of these silver dollars."

In recent months the treasury has initiated a study of the long-range problem of the silver content of our coinage and the various questions raised by the excess of silver demand over current production. There are many problems involved and the decisions to be made are exceedingly difficult. We have given consideration to some of the possible alternatives to continuing our coinage with the present silver content. Ultimately, of course, unless a radical change in the supply and demand situation should develop—a change which is not out of the question but which it would not seem prudent to count on—the treasury stocks of silver will be exhausted. Alternatives must clearly be planned well in advance. Our studies have not reached a point where any decision has been made as to a recommendation for long-range government policy in this area. Once the treasury has arrived at certain recommendations it will, of course, be necessary to circulate the proposals for approval throughout the executive branch. Since many agencies have an interest in the field

and the matter is a difficult and controversial one, it can be anticipated that decision and clearance will require considerable time. Unquestionably the Congress will wish to consider the matter with great care and deliberation before making any substantial changes in our coinage laws.

In the meanwhile the treasury believes that it would be in the best interests of the nation if no such legislation as that before your committee were passed. Our silver stocks, which now amount to approximately one and a half billion ounces, are ample for continuation of the present coinage and for the supplying of silver to meet the industrial gap between supply and demand for a period of years ahead. At the rate of redemption of outstanding silver certificates in 1963, the present supply of silver should last until about 1972. This calculation is based on the assumption of our continuing to mint silver dollars with the present silver content. Thus, while the basic problem cannot be ignored and must be faced promptly, the solution should not be a piecemeal attempt to cope with certain aspects of the larger coinage problem. In our judgment, passage of this proposed legislation, whether as submitted by Senator Metcalf or as proposed by others to reduce the silver content to 50%, would be premature and harmful.

The effect of this legislation can be analyzed, first, by ascertaining its effect on the definition of the standard silver dollar and then its effect on the monetary value of silver. Finally, it will be necessary to estimate its effect upon the market price of silver.

The standard silver dollar is defined by statute as containing 412.5 grains of silver nine tenths fine. This standard was originally established in the act of January 18, 1837 (5 Stat. 137), and was subsequently included again in the act of February 28, 1878 (20 Stat. 25). These acts retained the pure silver content of 371.25 grains originally established by the act of April 2, 1792, but changed the alloy content. Although not codified in the United States code, these 19th century provisions nevertheless remain in full force and effect. It might be observed, in passing, that if the content of the silver dollar is to be changed effectively by legislation, these old provisions would have to be amended along with the section of the Code which is amended by Senator Metcalf's bill, which is found in the silver purchase act of 1934 (48 Stat. 340), 31 U.S.C. 321. If the weight of the silver dollar is to remain the same as at present, namely, 412.5 grains, but with silver only eight tenths fine, there would be just over 11 percent less silver in the standard silver dollar. This would also be true of the subsidiary silver coins as well.

The monetary value of silver, which is at present \$1.2929292, is nowhere defined in law in such mathematical terms. Rather, it is arrived at by dividing the number of grains in an ounce (480) by the number of grains of pure silver in the silver dollar (371.25). Under the formula of this new legislation which reduces the number of silver grains in the silver dollar, the monetary value of the silver by the same process of division would become \$1.45-plus per ounce.

The market value of silver would not necessarily immediately rise to its new monetary value. Market value is, of course, determined by supply and demand. However, the overwhelming factor in keeping the market price of silver for the last many months at the present monetary value of \$1.29-plus has been the right of holders of silver certificates to get silver from the government stocks at the monetary value. As soon as the monetary value rose to \$1.45-plus, the government would only be able to dispose of silver at that price. With the supply from present government stocks thus cut off, it is difficult to see how the market price could stay at its present level. It seems reasonable to estimate that it would promptly rise from the present level and might soon reach or surpass the price of \$1.38-plus, which is the value of silver in our present subsidiary coins. Whether or not the market price rose all the way to \$1.45-plus per ounce, it would immediately have become profitable to melt down the present silver dollars for their silver content, and very probably soon thereafter would become profitable to melt down all other present silver coins. This would make it impossible to maintain the present silver coins in circulation, even though some brake could perhaps be applied through imposing drastic penalties on melting and exporting.

Even if melting and exporting were prohibited by law with severe criminal sanctions, which would be difficult to enforce, a market price of silver of \$1.38 or more would seriously jeopardize all of our present silver coinage,

since it would be virtually impossible to control hoarding of coins by individuals, and we would then face an even more acute shortage of change than now exists. The burden on the Mints, which is already so severe, would become even worse.

This preliminary interpretation of the legislation might conceivably be open to challenge on the ground that the holder of an existing silver certificate is entitled to 77/100ths of an ounce of silver, not the lesser amount in the new silver dollar. While we do not now think this is a valid interpretation of the law, it demonstrates the type of difficulty that can be created by hasty adoption of legislation in this exceedingly complicated area.

One of the apparent reasons for the submission of this legislation is the feeling of some people that the drainage of silver dollars from circulation and from the treasury has been prompted by speculation over a possible rise in the price of silver. It is our view, however, that the main reason for the drainage of these coins has been the constantly increasing interest of coin collectors and dealers who have been hopeful of acquiring some of the rarer silver dollars with numismatic value. Perhaps the factor of speculation has played some part in the picture as well. To the extent that this accounts for the disappearance of silver dollars at the present time, we do not believe the legislation before your committee will solve the problem. To be sure, if the market value of silver were to remain at its present level, the value of the silver in a new silver dollar of 800 fineness would be about 90¢, thus reducing the motivation for hoarding. Since, however, as I have indicated earlier, the net effect of the new legislation, in our judgment, would be to raise the market price of silver, the market value of the silver in the new dollar would probably soon rise to very close to \$1. It seems doubtful that the new silver dollar would stay in circulation for long any better than the present ones. In fact, the only real assurance against speculation is the knowledge throughout the market that the treasury's present immense stocks are "on offer" at the present monetary value of \$1.29.

Reducing the silver content of coins from 90% to 50%, as has also been proposed, would, of course, simply aggravate further the problems outlined above. Under such legislation the monetary value of silver would become about \$2.32 per ounce for the silver dollar and \$2.48 for the subsidiary coins, and the market price would presumably tend to rise toward this monetary value even faster than if it were \$1.45 per ounce. It seems clear that it would almost immediately exceed \$1.38 per ounce, the point at which it would be profitable to melt down our present subsidiary coins.

These problems which I have outlined are of a magnitude which require the most careful consideration by the congress as well as by the executive branch. They seem to the treasury to outweigh greatly in significance the providing of silver dollars to the western states through the means of reducing the silver content of our coinage, even though we recognize the importance which the people in these states attach to silver dollars. We believe that silver dollars should be supplied by restoration of funds for the minting of silver dollars of the present fineness through the regular appropriation procedure. Meanwhile, we will continue the intensive studies already underway, attempting to appraise all of the metallurgical, electronic and other requirements for a satisfactory coinage in future years. We can do this successfully only if the essentials of the present coinage system are not disturbed — giving us the necessary time to complete recommendations to the Congress, review them with you, await your consideration and legislation, and then proceed to the minting of future requirements with the added facilities which we now expect to have in Denver within one year and in Philadelphia within three years.

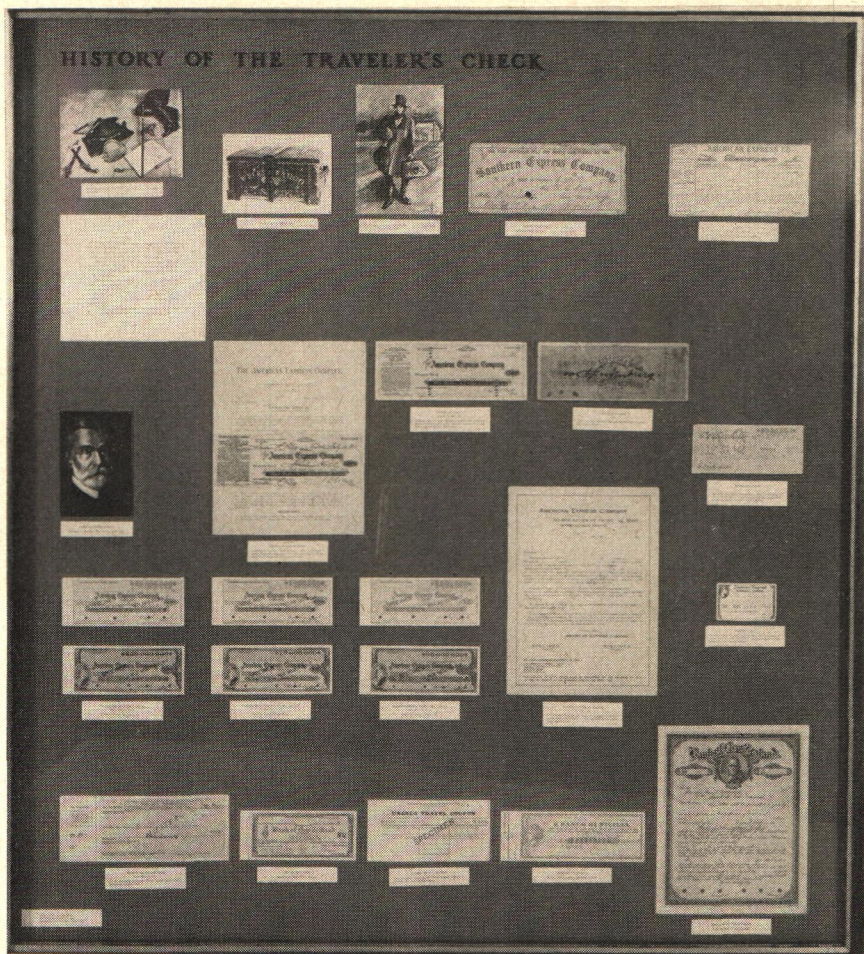
In a centuries old ceremony, the princess royal, Queen Elizabeth's aunt, distributed the traditional maundy pence to thirty-eight men and thirty-eight women on March 26. In the ceremony, held at London's Westminster Abbey on behalf of the queen, each pair of recipients — one for each year of the queen's life — received a long stringed purse; the men's containing \$13.30, the women's \$11.90.

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Smithsonian Exhibit Shows Traveler's Check History

The history of the traveler's check was illustrated in a special exhibit that went on display February 19th, in the monetary history hall of the Smithsonian Institution's arts and industries building. Howard L. Clark, president of the American Express Co., and Dr. S. Dillon Ripley, secretary of the Smithsonian, opened the exhibit arranged through the aid of Senator Claiborne Pell. The show was drawn largely from items made available by the American Express Co., the general manager of the Bank of New Zealand, and Kenneth L. Kelly of the national bureau of standards.

The Smithsonian display includes several historically significant items, such as James C. Fargo's announcement of 1891 initiating the issuance of the traveler's check. On view also is a \$50 traveler's check signed by Capt. Eddie Rickenbacker in 1942. The World War I ace carried this particular traveler's check with him while adrift on a life raft in the Pacific for 21 days during 1942. A traveler's check of 1929 signed by Field Marshal Paul von Hindenburg, president of the German Republic, is also included. Examples of traveler's checks and circular letters of credit



The Smithsonian's display

from Germany, Italy, and New Zealand, in addition to a 19th century money remittance envelope of the Southern Express Co., give an adequate idea of the development of this international form of money.

Since ancient times travelers and merchants have sought an efficient and simple method of obtaining ready cash in foreign countries. To travel with enough money to last for an extended trip was not only inconvenient but often also a dangerous risk to take. So-called safety pockets and money belts gave little real security. Attempts were made to devise some kind of credit instrument such as notes, bills of exchange, money orders, and letters of credit. But even during the second half of the 19th century sums of actual cash were frequently transmitted in packages or envelopes by various express companies. While in pre-World War I years the letter of credit became the standard instrument of international commercial transactions, a need was keenly felt for a means to establish ready credit for the individual traveler.

In 1891 James Congdell Fargo, third president of the American Express Co. (1881-1914), returned from abroad where he had experienced just such a need; in spite of his position he had had trouble in cashing his letter of credit! After returning to New York, he asked one of his employees, Marcellus F. Berry (at that time already known as the designer of the money order), to find a way to remedy the situation. Berry created a piece of negotiable paper acceptable as currency and safeguarded against loss or theft through the double-signature

device. The buyer signed the check in the upper left corner when purchasing it and then again in the lower left corner when cashing it.

Thus the traveler's check was created. With an announcement of August 1, 1891, J. C. Fargo initiated the actual issuance of such traveler's checks. The announcement included a sample check and a description of its use, its advantages, and the method of selling and keeping accounts. Exchange rates for major European currencies were printed on the check, striking proof of the long term stability of world finances and currencies during the late 19th century. A total of \$9,120 in traveler's checks was issued in the first year. Since then the volume has risen steadily, reaching millions of dollars daily.

Coming in various denominations, the traveler's check is today recognized and accepted the world over by banker and merchant alike and has become a form of international currency. Banking and other institutions from various countries have adopted the idea; in some instances, however, imposing certain limitations on its use. In recent years an even more expeditious method has been devised, the credit card, which by its very nature cannot replace the traveler's check, but can and does supplement it, constituting at the same time another step toward more sophisticated methods which the future will certainly bring.

The exhibit was assembled by Mrs. Elvira Clain-Stefanelli, associate curator of the division of numismatics, and the layout designed by Harry Hart of the exhibits staff.

IN MEMORY OF ROGER PIERCE, JR.

Here lie the centuries in my hand,
Little monuments that time has
spared;
Their birth, on empire's shifting sand;
Their fate, far better than kingdoms
fared.

I can see his eyes in fascination
Delve in their past, bring forth a
story;
And where others saw price, he saw
creation
Told in Grecian drachms or Roman
denarii.
And I think he liked their final
message,

Not the one from Alexander or
Caesar,
But the one that grows with time's
passage,
Testing their metal like souls in its
measure.

So, judge him, Time, as you have
these,
Corroding not his worth here seen;
And eons hence and past far seas,
Let him be found—unique and shining
serene.

— FORD MITCHELL

RARE EARLY AMERICAN COIN DISCOVERED

A mystery of long standing has been cleared up by the discovery of what is unquestionably the finest known specimen of a General Washington/Confederatio 1785 "cent." So choice, in fact, is this coin that the natural suspicion about a coin "too good to be true" was immediately aroused.



The Washington/Confederatio "cent"

Scarer than the proverbial hen's teeth, the Washington-Confederatio specimens previously known to exist were:

1. The Parmelee specimen. This was sold in 1890 for \$152.50. The catalog stated that only two were known, and this, by far, the best. It was later sold to B. Max Mehl in the James Ten Eyck sale, 1922, for \$1,050.00. Listed as being in very good condition, it would probably grade fine by today's standards. It is said to be in the collection of a well-known midwestern collector.
2. The Mickley-Cogan-Garrett specimen. This first appeared in the Mickley sale of 1867, where it brought \$160.00. The condition is about fine, with a rather rough surface. It is now in the Johns Hopkins University numismatic collection. (This is the specimen to which the Appleton pedigree is sometimes applied. It is doubtful that the coin passed through his hands.)
3. The Low-Prann specimen. Catalogued by A. Kosoff in the 1947 A.N.A. convention auction. It is now said to be in an Ohio collection. Obverse good, reverse poor.

Another specimen is reported to be in New York City and a fifth, in about fine condition, was reported as having been seen, but the present location is unknown.

The illustration in Crosby's book *Early Coins of America*, 1875, was referred to in the Parmelee sale as being inferior to the one being auctioned. Crosby's illustration, however, (See Plate VII, No. 14) was a composite showing the obverse and reverse of two different coins.

The mystery? The above mentioned coins were the only specimens known until the appearance of this latest specimen. Despite this, the *Guide Book of U.S. Coins* edited by R. S. Yeoman, has a clear illustration of a splendidly preserved example. Ken Bressett, editor of the Whitman Publishing Company, stated "the illustration was made from a negative found in an old accumulation of coin books. There was no mention of where the coin came from or where it is now. The coin's existence is a complete mystery to me except for this beautiful photo of what must be the finest known specimen!"

The importance of the Washington-Confederatio coin on the numismatic scene stems from the idea that this coin was to be a pattern for the adoption of a coinage for all the colonies. The probability is that the dies were made by Thomas Wyon of Birmingham, England.

The photograph of this newly uncovered specimen speaks for itself. The coin is a numismatic prize and is now owned by a specialist in early American coins who resides in New Jersey.

The assistance of Richard Picker and Ken Bressett in research and the American Numismatic Society for photography is acknowledged. — A. KOSOFF.

"Coin needs are tremendous. A 5½% growth rate a year will be essential even to try to keep up. I don't blame vending machines or coin collectors — the problem is simply a rapidly growing population with not enough turnover of coins in circulation." MISS EVA ADAMS, director of the mint, at the spring forum, Chicago chapter, American Institute of Banking, April 7, 1964.

If it's worthwhile, you'll find it in *The Numismatist*

REPORT OF A.N.A. LIBRARIAN

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- A-109 Department of Archaeology and Culture; *Catalog of the Coins of Nepal*.
- B-155 Byrne, Ray; *Bermuda "Hogge" Coins*. 1963.
- B-156 Bergen, Herbert M.; *Ideas for Arranging Club Programs*.
- B-157 Buttrey, Ted V.; *Coinage of Mexico Since 1905*. Reprint from *Numismatist*.
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- C-154 Caskey, L. D.; *Coins of Syracuse*. A.N.A. reprint.
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- M-165 Miller, Donald M.; *Catalog of U. S. Store Cards or Merchant Tokens*. 1962.
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- T-47 Toy, Raymond S.; *World War II Military Currency*. 50 pp. Illustrations. 1964.

— BERNIE GABARRON
Assistant Librarian

THE BANK OF NORWAY has issued new five kronor coins, showing the profile of King Olav V and his motto "All for Norway" on the obverse and the national coat of arms with crown on the reverse. Five kronor bills will be gradually withdrawn.

CLUB NEWS

There was a good turnout at the 542nd meeting of **Chicago Coin Club** on March 11 in the Congress Hotel to hear Dr. Nick Photinopolous speak on Greek coins. Dr. Photinopolous is a physician currently at the University of Chicago's Department of Medicine as a Fulbright Scholar. The subject of his lecture was "History of the Greek Kingdom of Bactria, Paropamisada and India after Alexander the Great." Primarily interested in the history of Ancient Greece, he used slides of



The Chicago Numismatic Society was organized in 1903 and became inactive in 1915. Two-inch bronze medal by J. Henri Ripstra.

his collection of Greek and bilingual coins to illustrate and dramatize the history of Bactria. A number of extremely rare coins were represented by plaster casts of the coins in various museums in Asia Minor. In addition to his most informative and stimulating talk, Dr. Photinopolous spoke warmly of the friendly and gracious reception he has received everywhere as a guest in this country. This Club has issued numerous medals and tokens during its forty-five years existence. On the suggestion of Glenn Smedley, who contributed his collection of these historic pieces, the Club has undertaken a program of assembling and housing as complete a set as possible of these items. August Hausske, chairman of the committee to carry out this project, displayed the medals donated by Smedley. Other exhibits included nine Athenian tetradrachms by Michael Dolnick; an 1804 cent by W. Brown; a Chinese Temple coin by Paul Pennington; and the 1964 Assay Commission medal by Harry X Boosel, one of the two members of the Club honored by appointment to this Commission. — MICHAEL M. DOLNICK, Pres.

Members and guests at the February 17 meeting of **Santa Barbara Coin Club** heard guest speaker Henry H. Clifford of Los Angeles introduced as the man who presented the outstanding, award winning display of pioneer gold at the CSNA convention here in November. Clifford spoke on the Mormon coinage, which

goes back to 1848, and which was struck primarily from California gold brought back to Utah by the Mormon Battalion. He mentioned the difficulty of getting contemporary opinions as to how coins circulated. Your own correspondence of recent years probably doesn't mention what particular money you were using, because we take these things for granted and therefore don't comment on them. He referred to a letter in which Wm. A. Brown, an expressman, wrote that he was taking gold dust to San Francisco to "have it coined," but didn't bother to say who would do the coining; it could have been Moffat & Co., Dubosq & Co., Schultz & Co., etc. Clifford gave a little background of the Mormon people themselves; of how Joseph Smith founded the Mormon Church in upstate New York in 1830, moved west in 1837 and founded the Kirkland Safety Society Bank in Ohio (it ran afoul of the banking laws and failed), of the moves to Missouri and to Nauvoo, Illinois a year or two later, of the establishment of plural marriages about 1843, and of the death of Smith at the hands of a mob in 1844. Under the leadership of Brigham Young the Mormons moved westward again, finally settling in the Valley of the Great Salt Lake. Their money problems and experiments were many, including the use of captured Mexican and Latin American doubloons, gold dust and nuggets, their own gold coinage and various issues of paper money. They even used notes saved from the failure of the Kirkland Safety Fund Bank in Ohio as warehouse receipts for gold in Utah. Gold coins were struck in 1848 and in the next two years, and notes were printed in 1849, considered to be the first paper money printed west of the Rockies. The last gold coins were struck in 1860, when a small issue of \$5 coins was made, probably from Colorado gold which was discovered in 1858. Clifford closed his talk by reading excerpts from a letter dated July 17, 1849, in which a 49er wrote some of his experiences to his father, including a stop in the City of the Great Salt Lake. The talk was well illustrated by coins and notes from Clifford's collection. Prior to the talk, Life Membership No. 3 was bestowed upon Harry Kaplun, retiring convention chairman and vice president, in appreciation for his many years of work on behalf of the Club. Other life members are Ray R. Bower and A. R. Edson.

Members and guests attending the March 16 meeting enjoyed the International Nickel Company film entitled "Money Minters," which covered the operation of the Royal Canadian Mint in Ottawa. The color, sound production was well done and extremely interesting. They also saw a news film of one of the Marine landings during World War II that was photographed in part by our treasurer, Federico Claveria. The following officers were elected: two-year term — President John M. Sullivan, Jr.; First Vice President Ted Phillips; Treasurer Rudy Wukasch; one-year term — Second Vice President Ray Bower. Elected to the Board of Governors are A. R. Edson, Don Jurgensen, Federico Claveria, Otto Christiansen and Michael Ryan. Mrs. Ted Phillips will serve as secretary pro tem, and Gwen Sentis will continue as editor of *Numisma*. Don Jurgensen ad-

vised that plans are well under way for another successful Club coin show in June. — GWEN SENTIS, Sec.

The **Steel City Coin Club** of Lackawanna, N. Y., observed its second anniversary at the March 1 meeting by voting in twenty-nine new members. We now have 229 members, and attendance at this meeting was 228 including guests. George Tutuska answered questions about coins asked by those in attendance. — FRANK INCAVO, Corr. Sec.

The **Sioux-Land Coin Collectors Association** is making plans for its fourth annual show to be held October 3-4 at the Sheraton-Warrior Motor Inn. Further information may be obtained from Bill Dunsworth, 1012 32nd St., Sioux City, Iowa. — NORMAN R. EWOLDT

The **Las Vegas Numismatic Society** held a special dinner in honor of R. S. Yeoman, author of the "Red Book" and other numismatic publications, and Dan Brown of Denver, Colo., on February 25 at the Ranch House Supper Club in Las Vegas. Present to do honor to these two gentlemen of numismatic renown were Bob Anderson and Miss Anderson, Rex and Mrs. Brush, Harlow and Mrs. Harper, William and Mrs. Heurkamp, Vic and Mrs. Kunkel, Carl and Mrs. Taylor, and Mike and Mrs. Timm. — THEOLA TIMM, Sec.

The **Arkansas Numismatic Society** will hold its second quarterly meeting of 1964 on May 16-17 at the Lafayette Hotel in Little Rock. — CHAS. WEIR

Newly formed in the north suburban Chicago area, the **Morton Grove Coin Club** has completed its organization with the election of the following officers for 1964: President Sal Genualdi; Vice Presidents John C. Shiff and Alan R. Feinberg; Treasurer Bruno Rzepke; Secretary Dwyllah Molineri; and Governors Lou Goldstein and Walter Hubbard. Meetings are held the third Tuesday evening monthly at the Oketo Park Fieldhouse in Morton Grove. Membership is open to persons between the ages of seven and seventy, and those interested in the hobby are invited to attend a meeting and get acquainted with others in the area having similar interests. — LOUIS GOLDSTEIN, Publ. Chm.

Having completed twenty-five years of existence, the **Oklahoma City Coin Club** will bestow life memberships upon five of its original members, as follows: J. B. Sureck, No. 1; E. I. Gabert, No. 2; Charles C. Ross, No. 3; Harold Zeigler, No. 5; and M. R. Brown, No. 6. Honorary memberships will be awarded to Minnie Holmberg and R. S. Yeoman as partial rewards and acknowledgement of the outstanding services they have rendered to the Club. The only other Honorary membership in this Club was given to T. J. Lucado. — ARVIE SILVA, Sec.

The **Good Fellow Coin Club** of Gary, Ind., A.N.A. No. 22450, announces that all bourse tables are sold for its May 24 show to be held at the Croatian Center, 3673 Broadway. Displays for competition will be restricted to members, but noncompetitive exhibits are invited. At its February meeting, life Memberships were awarded to Charter Members Richard C. Anderson, Robert C. Dettrich, J. Arthur Feathers, James McGregor, Oscar Means, J. O. Peterson,

Charles B. Tyler and Harvey C. Varner. Growth of the Club has been so great that we will occupy larger quarters for future meetings at American Legion Post 214, 524 West Ridge Road in Gary. — CARY GATES, Vice Pres.

At a recent meeting the **Louisville (Ohio) Coin Club** elected Robert Brendlen president for 1964. Serving with President Brendlen will be Vice President Clarence Harter; Secretary Ethel Zimmerman; Treasurer Paul Dickerhoff; Governors (2 years) Claude W. Kandel and Doris Zancourides, and (1 year) Edward Maurer and Carl Wehling. We welcome visitors to our meetings the first Wednesday evening monthly in the club rooms of First Federal Savings & Loan Building. — RUTH ANN KANDEL, Publ. Chm.

On September 13, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., the **Rush County Coin Club** will hold its annual show in the American Legion Hall in Rushville, Ind. Don E. Smith, 517 E. Eleventh, Rushville, may be contacted for further information or reservations. MRS. EASTER MOSTER, Publ. Chm.

On Saturday evening, February 22, eighty members and guests of the **Long Island Coin Club** celebrated its eleventh anniversary with a dinner and dance. The party, held at the Floral Park Center Fire House, began with a cocktail hour which gave members an opportunity to present their wives and husbands to the others present. After a fine dinner, and along with coffee, awards were presented. Morris Bram, president for the second year, announced the winners of the January 28 exhibition night, as follows: Joseph Salerno, best in show for a fine display of French numismatic items; George Dillingham, first for Civil War tokens and merchants cards; Emmett MacDonald, second for a discussion and display of gold type coins after 1834; Franklin Simonsen, third with an inter-

BINGHAMTON CLUB HONORS CHARTER MEMBER NO. 3



L. to r., Fred G. Hunter, Triple Cities Coin Club president, presents club's first life membership award to Floyd W. Mottram

esting display of unusual medals. The most important award of the evening was the Presidential Award to the "Numismatist of the Year" for helping to educate and guide the Club in a serious study of numismatics. This went to Vice President Julius Turoff. Other presentations included a proof Lincoln cent to Mike Granis, encased in plastic on which was engraved "To our Founder and First President on the Eleventh Anniversary of the Long Island Coin Club." This award was donated by Carl Curcio. Treasurer Marie Moore and Secretary Barbara James received awards for assistance to the Club, and Carol Gladsky and Eleanor Jurick received recognition for their devotion to the Club's needs. Librarian Vincent Alones received an award for his services, and Past President Harold Schornstein was presented with a gold card signifying Honorary Membership for his fine leadership in the past. Thereafter we enjoyed entertainment presented by the "Four Numismatic Beatles," who turned out to be members Harold Schornstein, Theodore Craig, Richard Picker and Jack Nannery. The affair turned out to be the best we've ever had, thanks to Vincent Alones, Morris Bram, Marie Moore, Joseph Salerno, Julius Turoff and a number of other helpful members. — BARBARA B. JAMES, Sec.

The **Greater Parma Coin Club** has plans well under way for its annual Fall Festival to be held September 27 in the beautiful new U.A.W. Union Hall on Cleveland's far west side. This spacious hall has a capacity of 1,000 persons and parking facilities for 700 cars. There is a separate room in which the auction will be held, and refreshments will be served on the premises. Excellent displays are expected in the exhibit area, and there will be a forty-table bourse. Further information, requests for bourse and exhibit space and other inquiries should be sent to General Chairman Mrs. Marian Dempsey, 2819 Fortune Ave., Parma, Ohio. This growing club has a membership of 185 members, and expects last year's crowd of 1,000 guests to be surpassed at the September 27 show. — RICHARD B. EARTHART, Corr. Sec.

Collectors of Numismatic Errors (CONE), a nonprofit organization for the furtherance of numismatic error collecting, started its club functions last November and in the short period of four months has grown to over two hundred members. Considering that it is a correspondence type club, this growth is outstanding. Members' interests cover all types of errors and oddities in the field of numismatics. Its monthly paper, *The Penny*, goes to all members as the only paper devoted exclusively to this field of collecting. Direct correspondence between members for information, buying, selling or trading is brought about by this type of organization, and its publication has numerous articles by the best known students in the error field. It also features a question and answer column and carries many classified advertisements. Those interested in the fabulous field of error collecting can secure information for a stamp sent to Executive Secretary Al. Maynard, P. O. Box 110, Muncie, Ind. — R. A. PARKER

At the March meeting of **McKeesport Coin Club** interest was centered on the final stages of planning for the coin

show of April 18-19 at the Penn McKee Hotel. We are proud of George Dunay for taking the best of show award at Sarasota with his exhibit of gold coins of the world. Joe Datillo, our vice president, in a ten-minute talk emphasized the rising value of the Peace dollar collection. Russ Robertson won first prize in exhibits for his collections of sixty-seven Buffalo nickels, including the three-legged buffalo, and his uncirculated Jefferson nickels. Henry Strohm won second with an interesting collection of reingraved coins. — MARCIA KLEIN, Corr. Sec.

Recently installed officers of **Columbus Numismatic Society** are: President Jerry Shroyer, Vice President John Foster, Treasurer Charles Chase, and Secretary Mea Cooperider. The educational feature of the February meeting was the showing of a color film entitled "Money on the Move — the Federal Reserve Today." It took us behind the walls of the nation's Federal Reserve System to see how the cash we use comes into circulation and eventually is withdrawn after much usage. Our meetings are held the second Monday evening monthly in the Neil House Hotel in Columbus, Ohio. — HARRY A. MOWERY, Publ. Chm.

Thirteen guests were among those who enjoyed a talk by W. A. Lewis on coins and speculation at the February 27 meeting of **Odessa (Texas) Coin Club** in the Community Room of the First National Bank. President Louis Goodwin told the story of the unofficial coinage of Lundy Island, showing uncirculated specimens of both denominations. It was voted to limit lots in future auctions to two per member, and to allow the owners to bid as they wish on their own lots. — THELMA MAXWELL, Sec.

The June 13-14 Coin-o-Rama to be held by **Pomona Valley Coin Club** is expected to attract over two thousand persons to the Los Angeles County Fairgrounds hobby building. Exhibits will be judged for first, second and third place awards in each of ten classifications for adults and one for junior collectors. There will be a loving cup awarded to the best of show, also. General Chairman LeRoy Myers reports that exhibits must be in place by 1 p.m. Saturday so that judging can begin at 2 p.m. For further information, please contact Myers at 1493 Singingwood Ave., Pomona, Calif.

Eighty members and several distinguished guests attended the forty-first meeting of **Compton Coin Club** on February 19. The program was more than stimulating as Dr. Vern G. Rich of Fullerton displayed and spoke about ancient Greek and Roman coins. His historical knowledge and sparkling wit left us hungrily hopeful of a return engagement. Program Chairman Kenneth Young presented a gold Speaker's Trophy to Dr. Rich as a token of appreciation. Representing the NASC, Arthur MacDonald spoke to us on the convention to be held at the Statler Hilton Hotel in Los Angeles. He explained to our newer members the purpose of this splendid regional organization and signed up several willing CCC members to help at the registration desk. Subsequently, all who served reported full payment in fun and the glamour of meeting famous names in person. Our own Walter Snyder invited fellow members to attend a con-

ducted tour of the main Los Angeles Post Office, of which he is an official, the evening of February 27. Display Chairman Blaine Milliron reported exhibits by Ernest Featherston, blue ribbon; Keith Webb, red ribbon; Ann Hall, white ribbon; and Mel Kohl and Leona Kohl. We welcome visitors to our meetings the third Wednesday evening monthly at the New Recreation Center in Leuders Park, Compton, Calif. — FELICE DEG. BURT, Sec.

President Tim R. Fahey of the **Levittown Coin Club of Pa., Inc.** has announced that the Club's second annual show will be held May 16-17 at the Levittown Public Recreation Center, located on the Mall of the Shopping Center in Levittown, Penna. General Chairman Ed Hipps, chairman of the first show in 1963, promises that this one will be even more successful than the highly gratifying initial venture. Trophies and certificates of merit will be awarded to exhibitors in five categories, plus a best of show award. There will be no admission charge to the show, including the thirty-five table bourse. Those wanting further information and reservations are asked to write to the Club at P. O. Box 506, Levittown, Penna. — HECTOR KING, Corr. Sec.

The **Bellaire (Texas) Coin Club** will have its first annual coin show on May 23-24 in the Bellaire Community Hall, 300 S. Rice St. Admission will be free. Bourse Chairman Joe Johnson may be contacted at 4821 Blissonnet, Bellaire, Texas. — MRS. O. R. KNOTTS, Sec.

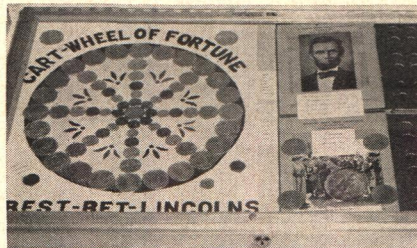
Fifty-three members and guests gathered in the Plains Hotel "Sundown" Room for a steak dinner in celebration of the 100th meeting of the **Regina (Sask.) Coin Club**. A report was made on our TV program of February 21 when four members discussed club activities and displayed various collections on a ten-minute guest show. General comments on the show were very favorable. The meeting continued with the showing of some award winning general interest films. — B. A. RENWICK, Sec.-Treas.

The March coin show held by the **Security Coin Club** in Unity Hall in Baltimore drew an attendance of over 3,400 during its two days. The show was officially opened by Mayor Theodore R. McKeldin of Baltimore. Forty-two dealers from as far away as Canada and



Harry Mueller, l., of Cleveland Coin Auctions shows a set of the four stellars to Mayor T. R. McKeldin of Baltimore at the Security Coin Club show.

Florida were in the bourse, and guests registered included some from New York, Ohio and South Carolina. Exhibit winners included Ralph Prater, first for his Cartwheel of Fortune; Joseph Bosley, second with U. S. commemoratives; and William Duffy, third with foreign crowns. Many rare and valuable items were seen at the show, including five of the \$4



"Cartwheel of Fortune," first place winner at Security Coin Club show, exhibited by Ralph Prater.

gold stellars of which four were in a set owned by Cleveland Coin Auctions. Security measures were excellent, with the result that not a single item was reported missing. We are planning a fall show in late September and another next March. — JOSEPH W. BOSLEY, JR., Chm.

The **Bellingham Coin Club** held its annual banquet recently at the Leopold Hotel with guests from Seattle, Mt. Vernon and Vancouver, B. C., attending. Charter members Stephen Bibler and Palmer Lee installed the following new officers: President Virgil Corder; Vice President Al Woodruff; Treasurer John Bajema; Secretary May J. Stearns; Director Louis Wachter; and Editor Catherine McMurchie. Stephen Bibler gave a historical sketch of the designer of the Lincoln cent and information about the rare 1909-S V.D.B. issue. Following a spirited donation auction for the benefit of the Club, the meeting was adjourned to view the excellent displays of coins brought by members and guests. — MAY STEARNS, Sec.

The fourth annual **Key City Coin Club** show will be held July 11-12 in the Paradise Room of the Sands Hotel in Abilene, Texas. This year's show is being planned to be the largest ever held in western Texas, and will feature several innovations. A free coin appraisal service will be offered to the owners of numismatic items; trophies will replace the usual ribbons, with junior exhibitors receiving the same awards as adults; a best of show award will be added; and the awards breakfast will feature a well known numismatic speaker to be announced later. There will be no auction this year as all emphasis will be placed on exhibits and the bourse, to which admission will be free. Exhibit space will be open to members of all coin clubs. Bourse dealers will be required to abide by the recent resolutions passed by A.N.A. and TNA on coins with altered dates and restrikes. For further information, please write General Chairman Paul Washburn, Baird, Texas.

Mrs. Clain-Stefanelli of the Smithsonian Institution was guest speaker at the February 19 meeting of **Montgomery County Coin Club** at 8700 Geor-

gia Ave., Silver Spring, Md. Using slides to illustrate her subject, "Why Collect Ancients," she discussed the art of ancient coins which show the rulers, deities, superstitions and many other facts about the peoples of ancient history. We found it wonderful to think that such small and sometimes crude coins can tell so much about these unrecorded times.

At the March 18 meeting there was a discussion of the coin fair to be sponsored by the Club on May 23 at 1300 Forest Glen Road. This will be the third such event to be held, with all proceeds going to the Silver Spring Boys' Club. Program Chairman Jim Lund then introduced a panel which answered questions on "Buying by Mail." Many of the terms, conditions and abbreviations used in advertisements and auctions were explained. Also covered was the best way to mail numismatic material, foreign exchange, and knowing your dealer, which is most important in doing business by mail. — MAE L. CLARKE, Sec.

The newly founded **Alcona Coin Club** has elected Edward Toombs president, Harry Malik vice president, and Elinore Malik secretary-treasurer. Meetings are planned for the second and fourth Friday evenings at Ed's Coin Shop in Harrisville, Mich. Plans have been made for displays in local banks in connection with National Coin Week. — ELINORE MALIK, Sec.

Following a pre-show banquet Friday evening at which Sheriff Charles E. Price was honored, the fifth semiannual coin show to be held by **Interstate Coin Club** was formally opened February 29 when Miss Eva Adams, Director of the Mint, cut a ribbon across the entrance to the Venice Motel Ballroom in Hagerstown, Md. The Club's souvenir booklet for the show was dedicated to the Sheriff and he was lauded for the fine security his department has provided all of the Club's shows. Following the formal opening Saturday morning, Miss Adams spoke to those assembled, referring especially to the new Kennedy half dollar. The Hagerstown radio station WHAG taped a panel discussion regarding various popular coins and the hobby in general; the tape was broadcast to the

public early Sunday afternoon. On the panel were Miss Adams, Club President John H. Crout, show Chairman Paul E. Garling, and dealers Wilbur S. Reese, Walter R. Rudisill and James V. Wagner. Based on registration and distribution of the souvenir booklet, some 2,500 persons attended. Collectors were recognized from 13 states, and the 34 bourse dealers represented a seven-state area. By any comparison, this was the best of the five shows which the Club has held. The fall show is scheduled for Sept. 5-6, and the 1965 spring affair is being planned for March 6-7. The Club has a membership of 150 and holds its meetings the third Thursday monthly at the YMCA in Hagerstown. — PAUL E. GARLING, Vice Pres.

Outstanding exhibits were the main attraction at the February 16 show held by the **Rochester Coin Club** in the Gold and Sunset Rooms of Oakland University in Rochester, Mich. In addition to the grand award won by Jack Bllem of Warren for his Lincoln cent exhibit, other winners were as follows: Larry Dellowe, ancient coins, also a special award as the best exhibit by a member of the Club; John Drazen, Jr., U. S. silver coins; Jack Bigham, U. S. gold coins, also for American coins other than U. S., and tokens; Ted Zacharian, U. S. paper money; Frank G. Holstine, foreign coins; and Arthur Webster, medals. Awards were given to John Drazen, Sr., and to W. Wilson for noncompetitive guest exhibits of outstanding excellence. Another feature of the show was a thirty-three table bourse. John Gilmore was the show's chairman, and George Hildebrandt, Club president, had charge of the exhibits. Profit from the show is to be used in purchasing numismatic publications for the Public Library and Rochester's thirteen schools. — DOROTHY BIGHAM, Sec.

About 115 members and guests were present at the March 9 meeting of **Ventura County Coin Club** in the Recreation Center. The feature of the meeting was a talk on insurance for the numismatist by Assistant Secretary Peters of the Wm. H. McGee Insurance Co. The Club's fourth annual coin-a-rama was scheduled for September 27 at the Recreation Center. John R. Nichols, 2407 East Main St., Ventura, Calif., will be chairman. — EVELYN NEWMAN, Sec.

Members of the **Buffalo Numismatic Association**, A.N.A. No. 3251, are currently very much involved in preparations for the **Empire State Numismatic Association** convention, for which it is the host club. The affair will be held in the Statler Hilton Hotel in Buffalo on May 22-24, and the forty-five bourse tables have been sold. General Chairman Jim Barwell, 348 Riverside Ave., Buffalo, reports that Canadian dealer Jim Charlton will conduct the auction. Club officers include President John Heusinger, Vice President Jim Barwell, Treasurer George Cage, Secretary Bill Fivaz, and Assistant Secretary Frank Incavo. Meetings are held the first and third Monday evenings monthly at the YWCA, 190 Franklin St., and a special topic is usually assigned for the program at each meeting. This is one of the old clubs in the country, having been founded in 1927. — BILL FIVAZ, Sec.

Due to reasons beyond its control, the **Waynesboro Coin Club** has changed the



Ribbon cutting ceremony which opened the fifth semiannual Interstate Coin Club show on Feb. 29. L. to r., John H. Crout, President; Miss Eva Adams, Director of the Mint; Ernest R. Ecard and Roy L. Smith, committeemen; Paul E. Garling, Chairman; George L. Harsh, Secretary; and Roland G. Stoddard, veteran dealer and member. (C. F. Miles photo)

dates of its third annual show to October 17-18, instead of one week earlier as originally planned. It will be held at the Pennsylvania National Guard Armory on North Grant Street in Waynesboro. Admission will be free from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. on Saturday, and noon to 8 p.m. on Sunday. M. L. Diefenbacher, R.D. No. 3, Waynesboro, Pa. is bourse chairman. — C. M. BENCHOFF, Sec.

Newly elected officers of the **Greer County (Okla.) Coin Club** are President Kenneth Pruitt, Vice President Homer Slover, and Secretary-Treasurer Mrs. Revis Ponder. All reside in Mangum, Okla. — WM. GILL, Sr.

The March 4 meeting of **Panhandle Coin Club** was devoted to discussions of plans for N.C.W., during which members have volunteered to give talks to organizations in the area, and to our May 3 hobby show. This show will be held in the National Guard Armory in Chadron, Nebr., and will be open to displays of all hobbies.

Following further planning for these two events at the March 18 meeting, Ed Coates gave a fine talk on Philippine coinage. Frank Schell, who is leaving for California, was presented the Club's first life membership and a brief case as evidence of our esteem for him. Frank is a charter member of the Club and has done much toward its success, having served three terms as president and being in charge of our shows and N.C.W. activities several times. We are very sorry to have him leave, but wish him success in his new location. — TED KADLECEK, JR.

At the February 14 meeting of **East Bay Coin Club**, Don Thrall won the exhibit prize, other exhibitors being Steve Album, Tom Bertinuson, Roy Hill, Harley Parsons, Daniel Rosenthal, Vern Wilder and Paul Winters. We are still saddened at the untimely death of our charter member and good friend Earl A. Parker. The Club sent a floral piece at the time of his death in January, and expressed our sympathy to his family. — ELSIE EAST, Sec.

The **Ottumwa Coin Club** will hold its major coin show of the year on May 24 in the Izaak Walton League club house in Ottumwa, Iowa. Doors will be open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. without admission charge. No auction is being planned this year. Bourse chairman is James B. Williams, 217 West Maple Ave., Ottumwa, Iowa.

Slides of early Colonial coins, from the superb collection of William Anton, Sr., were shown at the March 4 meeting of **Brooklyn Coin Club**. Bill Anton, Jr., who shares his father's numismatic interests, gave a fine talk on the historical background of each coin, some of which are among the most rare specimens known. President Eddie Schuman was complimented on the fine photography of the slides which were enjoyed by all. Morris Bram and Ray Gallo spoke about the Metropolitan convention to be held April 30-May 3 at the Park Sheraton Hotel. Many interesting activities are planned for it in conjunction with the New York World's Fair, which opens April 15. Mike Granis, who was a member of the 1964 Assay Commission, proudly displayed his Assay medal and Presidential commission certificate. Rev. Frank Hutchins won the

monthly award for the best exhibit, which consisted of bust type half dollars and Colonial coins. — MAX VLOTKOFFSKY, Sec.

The March 1 second annual show held by **Pawcatuck Valley Coin Club** was a great success, with fifteen exhibits which were viewed by about six hundred visitors to the Town Hall of Stonington, Conn. Twenty-three bourse tables were manned by dealers from four states who did a brisk business. A very active board auction and door prizes of proof sets added to the interest in the show. We welcome visitors to our third Wednesday evening monthly meetings at the Masonic Temple, 177 W. Broad St. in Pawcatuck, Conn. — MARIAN B. BAILEY, Sec.

The Pick-Ohio Hotel will be the site of the July 24-26 show being planned by the **Youngstown Numismatic Club**. John T. Bosley is the general chairman. Bourse Chairman Tom Williams reports that tables will be limited to seventy-five and that they are being sold as requests are received by him at 3303 Allendale Ave., Youngstown, Ohio 44511. Preparations are being made for many outstanding exhibits and space may be reserved by writing to Exhibit Chairman Jack Jones, 20 E. Avondale Ave., Youngstown, Ohio 44507. We will provide twenty-four hour police protection and other security measures under the direction of Sergeant-at-Arms Joseph Margetko — FRANCIS SOOS, Publ.

Believing in advance planning, the **Odessa Coin Club** has announced its annual Permian Basin coin show to be held November 14-15 in the Lincoln Hotel Ballroom in Odessa, Texas. Plans for this event include forty bourse tables, reservations for which should be made with Arnold Martin, 119 West Second St., Odessa. Gene Hurt is general chairman. — LOUIS R. GOODWIN, Pres.

Forty members and guests attended the 290th meeting of **Oklahoma City Coin Club** in the Emmanuel Synagogue on February 25. Dr. Lhotka exhibited and discussed a fascinating coin of Justinian I, 529-565 A.D., of the Byzantine Empire. John Dunn's exhibit was a 45 plaistre coin of Cyprus, dated 1928, which he told us was the fiftieth anniversary of the leasing of Cyprus to Great Britain by Turkey. In all, twenty-one exhibits were shown by as many members. — ARNIE SILVA, Sec.

Five new members were accepted into the **Greater Lakeland (Fla.) Coin Club** at its February meeting. The twenty members and four visitors present heard President Johnson report on plans and estimated expenditures for our show to be held May 1-3. — OPAL L. HINCHEE, Sec.

The thirty-eighth meeting of **Torrance Coin Club** was held February 18 with 120 in attendance. There were an even dozen outstanding displays, and nine new members were accepted into the Club. President Foster Hall presented the President's Trophy to Past President Wayne Dennis, and spoke briefly on the NASC convention to be held later in the month in Los Angeles. Speaker of the evening Richard Goodson told us about the Jefferson nickel, including a short history of Thomas Jefferson, the third president to have his portrait on a regular issue U. S. coin. This five-cent coin was designed by Felix Schlag in open competition. From October 1942 through

1945 the composition of this coin was changed to eliminate the vital war time nickel, replacing it largely with silver. These coins are identified by the large mint mark placed above the dome of Monticello. Now, about twenty years later, these coins are being withdrawn so that the silver may be reclaimed.

At the March 17 meeting we had, by coincidence, a dozen exhibits again. Display Chairman Richard Goodson described them, among which Mel Kohl's won the participation award. Melvin Fischel spoke on paper money, augmenting his talk with an extensive display which included some Canadian notes. He detailed the various sizes and explained the process of printing notes, giving reasons for the change being made from flat-bed to rotary presses. Refreshments and many displays were in keeping with St. Patrick's day. This Club welcomes visitors to its meetings the third Tuesday evening monthly in the Recreation Center, 3341 Torrance Blvd. in Torrance, Calif. We try to have diversified educational programs at our meetings. — LILA M. BARRETT, Corr. Sec.

The Wichita Falls Stamp & Coin Club, A.N.A. No. 42413, will have the red carpet out for visitors to its third annual coin show June 13-14 at the Maskat Shrine Temple in downtown Wichita Falls, Texas. About fifty bourse tables will be sold at only \$10 each for the two days; the auction is planned for Saturday evening; ample protection of exhibits and bourse is promised from the start to the finish of the show; and refreshments will be available in the building. Since the show has been moved from Vernon to the more centrally located Wichita Falls, an even better response than in previous years is expected. For further information and reservations, write to the Club, P. O. Box 1538, Wichita Falls, Texas. — PAT HALVERSON, Pub. Rel. Chm.

It was "Junior Collectors Night" at the February 24 meeting of the **Calgary (Canada) Coin Association** in the auditorium of the Public Library. The fifty-six in attendance, including twenty juniors, heard an interesting talk by eleven-year-old Gordon Kelley on the Fenians. Gordon pointed out that this name derives from a class of ancient Irish warriors founded in the third Century, and in modern times was adopted by a political association whose aim was the forcible liberation of Ireland from British sovereignty. Founded in 1857 with headquarters in New York City, the Fenians planned to use the United States as a base for operations in Ireland and Canada against the British. Following a convention held in Chicago in 1863, the group tried to invade Canada in 1866 but were turned back and suffered seizure of arms and supplies by the United States. Another unsuccessful invasion of Canada was made in 1870. On display were four medals issued by the Canadian Government in 1899 to members of the British Army and Canadian Militia who served actively in 1866 and 1870. In an auction for young collectors only, great enthusiasm was demonstrated by the bidding.

The Lincoln cent was featured at the March 17 meeting, with color slides and a colorful commentary taped by Past President Carl Butler entertaining the more than fifty members and guests present. Eric Clarke and Dave McRitchie supplied excellent displays of the Lincoln cent. By unanimous vote, R. S.

Trowsdale, Charter Member No. 3, was elected Honorary President for 1964. Jack Marles recalled Mr. Trowsdale's many years of service to the club and the assistance he gave so freely to new collectors. Unfortunately, illness prevented the attendance of the honored member at this meeting. Murray Weston reported that a contingent from Calgary had attended an organizing meeting of the **Olds Coin Club** and offered assistance during its establishment. — D. M. STEWART, Reporter

The Ocala (Fla.) Coin Club, organized in 1962, reelected its officers for a second term at the January 27 meeting, as follows: President Jack Kranyik, Vice President W. B. Crumbliss, Secretary-Treasurer Mary J. Kranyik, and Publicity Chairman Jimmie Williams. At the February 14 meeting, coin dealer Dr. Harry Evans of Micanopy gave a very interesting and informative talk on silver dollars, a complete set of which he displayed. He traced the development of the coin from the time of the Spanish milled dollar to the adoption of the silver dollar as the unit of United States coinage. The admission of six new members brought our membership to sixty-nine. Under a new incentive plan, a proof set was presented to student member Bobby Lee for having brought five new members into the Club. Such an award will be made to each member bringing in five adult members or ten student members. — MARY J. KRANYIK, Sec.

Preliminary planning for the annual spring show was the main order of business at the February 11 meeting of **East Liverpool Coin Club**. The date was set for June 7, but the location and details were not agreed upon at this meeting. However, we expect to have exhibits, a bourse and an auction. This Club, A.N.A. No. 9460, meets the second Tuesday monthly at the YMCA in East Liverpool, Ohio, under the leadership of President Earl Ohnezeit and Secretary William Stoffel. We enjoy good participation from surrounding clubs and have good attendance at our shows. Further information may be obtained from the publicity chairman, RFD No. 1, Cannons Mills-Glenmoor Road, East Liverpool, Ohio. — OLIVER A. MILLS, Publ. Chm.

The Washington Numismatic Society, A.N.A. No. 5385, held its February 10 meeting in St. Columba's Hall, 4201 Albermarle St. N.W. in Washington, D. C. After the installation of new officers, the following annual awards were made: Exhibits & first, Gordon Keating; second, Vernon Bigsby; honorable mention, Mrs. Frisbey, James Shipley and Mrs. Clarke. The outstanding member of the year award went to Joseph Clarke. Guest Brent Hughes spoke on fractional currency and "Father Spinner." Francis E. Spinner was a remarkable man who was appointed Treasurer of the United States by President Lincoln, fathered the postage currency idea, and served as Treasurer under three presidents.

At the March 9 meeting, R. C. Soxman was speaker of the evening and covered the subject "Emergency Coins of the Caribbean." With excellent slides to illustrate his talk, we were reminded that there was very little coinage issued by the small countries and colonies in the Caribbean. Most of them used coins of Mexico, Spain, England, United States and other countries by counterstamping,



Washington Numismatic Society officers are, l. to r., seated: Gordon Keating, president; Eldridge Jones, treasurer; Mrs. Mae L. Clarke, secretary; and Vernon Bigsby, vice president; standing: Herb Price, board member; Wayne Franklin, sergeant-at-arms; and G. H. Sandy, board member.

restricking, cutting and holing them for identification. Many unusual shaped pieces were used, and the study and collecting of this series is most interesting. — MAE L. CLARKE, Sec.

The **Treasure Island Coin Club** has announced plans for its second annual Coin Fiesta to be held June 26-28 in the picturesque Hotel Galvez on the beach at the resort city of Galveston, Texas. Last year's two-day affair, the Club's first, drew three thousand visitors; so this year's show has been enlarged to three days to accommodate the expected crowd of five to six thousand persons. Veteran dealer E. E. "Sarge" White was recently named general chairman of the show, and has already appointed his committee chairmen. Arrangements have been made for separate exhibit and bourse rooms, for continuous security guards, insurance of exhibits, and for an awards breakfast on Sunday which will be open to all. Hundreds of out of state visitors last year combined a weekend vacation on the Beach with a sparkling good coin show, and those planning to attend this year should make room reservations early with Hotel Galvez. Dealers are already making reservations for bourse tables. Information may be obtained directly from E. E. White, Mainland Coin Exchange, 511 S. Oak St., LaMarque, Texas. — BENJ. R. POWEL, Publ. Chm.

Ninety-two members and guests at the March 18 meeting of **Compton Coin Club** enjoyed a "show and tell" presentation by Robert C. Carter, who exhibited his blue ribbon collection of "Altered Dates on Key Coins." Enlarged photos showed clearly the "do it yourself" way in which the coins were altered to cheat the uninformed collector. Carter's talk and exhibit is not only most interesting but should save many a collector from being duped into spending his money on worthless coins. Vice President Kenneth Young presented a gold speaker's trophy to Carter in appreciation. Two couples were voted in as new members, and Display Chairman Blaine Milliron presented trophies to the following exhibit winners: first, Ronald Thompson with "Commemorative Medals"; second, Elmer O. Hess, complete set of nickels from 1866

to date; third, Keith W. Webb, Presidential Art medals of presidents. Everyone enjoyed the twenty-four home baked apple pies served by Helen Milliron. We welcome visitors to our meetings the third Wednesdays monthly at Leuders Park in Compton, Calif. — FELICE DEG. BURT, Sec.

The **Michigan City Coin Club, A.N.A.** No. 45068, will hold its second annual show and exhibit at the Naval Armory in Michigan City, Ind., on August 29-30. There will be an auction at 2 p.m. Sunday, trophies for the winning exhibits, and door prizes during both days. Those wanting bourse tables should contact Chairman Robert M. Kolasa, P. O. Box 61, Otis, Ind. for information. — MRS. VIRGINIA HALL, Sec.

The **Waterloo (Ont.) Coin Society** has struck a medal for its fifth annual banquet, with the reverse depicting another Waterloo County point of historical interest. The "Kissing Bridge," as it is called, was built by John and Sam Bear in 1881 and was under the control of several different county bodies until taken over by the Department of Highways when the Province took control of the Guelph-Elmira Highway. West Montrose is located just off Highway 86 about three miles from Elmira, Ont. The idea that the bridge was covered to protect people from the weather is incorrect; the fact being that the cover was



The "Kissing Bridge" medal issued by Waterloo (Canada) Coin Society for its 1964 annual banquet.

put on to preserve the timbers and floor of the bridge itself. The design on the medal shows the bridge before it was restored. Struck in four metals, the medals are available from Bruce Razsmann, P. O. Box 41, Waterloo, Ont., Canada at \$40 for 10 karat gold serially numbered; \$15 for 10 karat gold filled; \$5 in sterling silver; and \$3.50 in bronze. The gold medals are in brilliant finish, while the others are oxidized as in previous issues. Attractive plastic holders are available also. Struck by Elliott Bishop, the medals live up to the beauty of those previously issued annually by the Society. — BILL ENGLISH

The **Nashville Coin Club** announces that it will hold the Middle Tennessee annual coin show on July 25-26 in the Nashville Municipal Auditorium. Bourse Chairman P. R. Bartholomew may be contacted at 2107 Pontotoc Ave., Nashville, Tenn., and the general chairman's address is 3056 Dickerson Road, Nashville 37207. — JERRY D. CHAMBERS, Gen. Chm.

At its regular meeting in February, the **Heart of America Numismatic Association**, Kansas City, Mo., celebrated its thirtieth birthday. Twelve charter members organized the group in 1934, and

four of these men were present at the February meeting. Maxwell Keith, Max Morganroth, George Paris and Leo Sams gave short accounts of their respective parts in forming the Association and recounted some of the highlights of its thirty years of existence. We gained a new realization of the numismatic



HANA Charter Members with President Maxim at thirtieth birthday meeting in February. L. to r., Leo Sams, Max Morganroth, John Maxim, youngster of ten years membership, George Paris and Maxwell Keith. Charter member Charles Stump was out of the city.

achievements of these veterans through this meeting. After the meeting, coffee and cake was served while friends enjoyed a good visit. — JOHN MAXIM, Pres.

The fast growing **Harlingen Coin Club**, located in the lower Rio Grande Valley of Texas only twelve miles from Mexico and twenty miles from the Gulf of Mexico, was chartered in September 1962, with a charter membership of thirty-three. Today, as A.N.A. No. 48475, the Club has 120 active members. More than a few of these are tourists who spend time in this winter haven where the winters are mild and there are many fine features of good living. Some of our members are citizens of Old Mexico, and it isn't unusual to find beautiful Mexican coins in our auctions. One of our outstanding workers is Mrs. E. Garrison, Secretary, whom we salute for her contributions of time and effort toward the Club's success. — J. W. STOKES, Publ. Chm.

Hampered by a heavy snow storm, only sixty-two members and seventeen guests attended the March 9 meeting of **Missouri Numismatic Society** in the Coronado Hotel in St. Louis. Program Chairman Bill Zimmerman's feature of the evening was the color film "Banking In Action," a sound presentation of the operations of the Federal Reserve System. Also enjoyed were slides by several members of our recent Twenty-fifth Anniversary celebration. Saddened by the loss of another loyal member, we observed the death of Joe Heet with a silent prayer. Mr. Heet expired in St. Anthony's Hospital, reportedly of a heart attack, and was buried at Sts. Peter and Paul Cemetery on March 4. — PATRICIA RENWICK, Publ. Chm.

The **Hollywood YMCA Coin Club** is stressing the importance of husband-wife teams in numismatics. Many couples of this Club recently enjoyed the coin show held in Long Beach and the NASC convention. The members are now ready for their spring program. The March meeting was part of further education in coin facts as Manny Frohlich gave us

a lesson in coin grading. In May members will have their first showing of work accomplished during the first year of membership in the Club, with Henry Corden as exhibits chairman. Max Bass brings a "browse" table to show examples of the topic of the month, and Irma Bass is our gracious host at the tea table. President Emmet E. Moody is ambitiously planning an all member display of achievements and additions to members' collections. Friends and visitors are invited to our meetings the first Monday evening monthly, where they may enjoy our programs and meet a few movie people, such as members Henry Corden and Jane Betts. Including several recent additions, our membership stands at sixty-eight. — MRS. ELVIRA MOODY, Publ. Chm.

The **Guthrie Coin Club** invites everyone to attend its Coin-a-Rama at the American Legion Building in Guthrie, Okla., on May 24. For information about bourse tables and other activities, please contact Thomas Freeman, Route 4, Box 116, Guthrie. — MRS. TED ROBERTSON, Sec.

The March 15 meeting of **Atlantic City Coin Club** was held in the El Toro Room of the La Concha Hotel on the Boardwalk, with ninety-two in attendance. Our speaker was Harmer Cole, vice president of MANA, and his topic was the Reverend Mark Watkinson who instigated the movement which resulted in the placing of the motto "In God We Trust" on our coins. Much of the meeting was taken up with discussion of final plans for our April 25-26 show. Exhibits included the following: proof sets of 1940 to 1963 in plastic holders, by Maud Fould; a sheet of obsolete bank notes by William Fisher; coins of countries from A to Z, by Bertha Littman; type coins of Australia and New Zealand by Pete Senicak; and Pat Rossino's complete set of commemoratives. We look forward to welcoming visitors to our meetings the third Sunday afternoon at the La Concha Hotel on the Boardwalk. — JIM MCNEILL, Pres.

The second birthday of **Steel City Coin Club** was celebrated by a show sponsored by Local 2604 of the United Steel Workers of America. The 2,000 visitors who attended acclaimed it as "the greatest coin show ever," including the two-day auction and coverage by radio and television. Among the sixteen cases of exhibits, the winner was James Skinner's ancient Roman coins; second going to Frank Incavo for foreign crowns of the world with flags to match each country; third was Ralph Maltby with a set of Confederate notes. B. J. Tutuska, an Erie County official, presented the awards. — FRANK INCAVO, Corr. Sec.

Kangaroos and emus were among the items discussed by Dick Foley when he addressed the **Western Pennsylvania Numismatic Society** meeting of March 3. His unusually interesting talk was augmented by his extensive collection of Australasian tokens which he has had for some time. Heading the exhibits were his 250-piece collection of Australian penny and halfpenny tokens, a "holey" dollar and dump, a five pound gold piece and an Australian Victoria gold sovereign. W. W. Woodside exhibited internment camp tokens; four of Australia and New Zealand, and three of the Isle of Man. The Secretary showed Australasian tokens emphasizing various trades, such

as grocers and wine merchants, auctioneers and land agents, a medalist, general marine store, a railway, etc. An unlisted South Africa sovereign dated 1915 was Gordon Dadrill's exhibit, while Dr. Sloss had current Canadian mint sets. Bob Porter displayed several foreign coins, including a 1954 Australian commemorative florin and a 1955 Australian proof set. John Knobenschuh discussed his one and five rupee 1957 Ceylon commemorative pieces. Harry Bartley had several unusual tokens and announced that he had completed his set of five parking tokens of the Parkland Memorial Hospital in Dallas, and proceeded to show them. Dr. Hudson's exhibit included a Ferry token of Maryland, an 1868 copper-nickel British half cent, and a U. S. 1824 half dollar counterstamped with a General Lafayette bust in commemoration of his visit to the United States. Jack Burns showed a set of Idaho State Penitentiary plastic tokens of \$1, 50¢, 25¢ and 5¢. Ray Byrne showed his recently acquired 1535 Mexican three reales piece, of which only five are known, and his 1733 over 32 four reales piece, previously unreported. — G. A. MOONEY, Sec.

Another record breaking crowd attended the March 13 meeting of the **Greeley Coin Club** in the Greeley (Colo.) National Bank Annex. Of the ninety present, thirty-eight were visitors from whom thirteen new members were recruited. We enjoyed the showing of A.N.A. slides of "State Bank Note Engravings" and learned that these notes were issued by banks with no government backing. Not infrequently a bank would fail and its worthless notes would continue to circulate for a while. The intricate engravings on the notes are beautiful, interesting and historically significant, but their primary purpose was to discourage counterfeiters. Sergeant and Mrs. Bronson showed crowns of the world, and LeRoy Mercer displayed U. S. and Confederate paper money. — RICHARD F. BRONSON, Sec.

General Chairman Douglas Weaver states that all committee chairmen report all is in readiness for the May 2-3 show of the **Lea County Coin Club** in Hobbs, New Mexico. Over a month in advance most of the bourse tables were reserved at \$15 each, and dealer representation from four states was assured. Floyd Coville of McCamey, Texas, who won national honors with his exhibits, will have a noncompetitive display and be on hand to discuss the finer points of numismatic exhibiting with anyone interested.

About eighty members and guests attended the forty-first meeting of the **University Coin Club** in Seattle, Wash. Dr. Orville Puckett gave a very interesting impromptu talk on Maundy Money and other coins. Among the exhibitors were Alfred Schy, Ralph Deich, Rena Hodgson and Florence Landon, the latter being the "Award of the Month" winner with her pennies from circulation. Rena Hodgson won in the drawing for exhibitors only. Refreshments of lovely shamrock cup cakes baked by Nina Nystrom were enjoyed by all. — MARGE FARNAM, Sec.

Joseph T. Pheagin of St. Paul, N. C., won the Best of Show trophy at the second annual Middle Georgia coin show in Macon on January 24-26. Other award

winners were: United States coins: first, Dr. Maxwell M. Greenhouse of Miami, Fla.; second, James W. Jackson of Greensboro, N. C. Paper money: Paul M. Whisonant of Lincolnton, N. C.; and Ralph Baskett of Decatur. Foreign coins and paper money, including ancients: Col. J. G. Cornett of Ft. Benning. Gold: Ferrell Ard of Macon. Special exhibits: James T. Pheagin; James W. Jackson; and Conrad B. McNair of Macon. The awards were presented by Thomas Wynne of the awards committee at a Sunday breakfast at which President John Edwards of the **Blue Ridge Numismatic Association** gave the opening address. Specially engraved silver trays were presented to Jackson Bennett of Athens and L. A. Cook of Hapeville in recognition of their outstanding contributions to numismatics. Each entered a non-competitive exhibit. Miss Sandra Ard reigned as Miss Middle Georgia Coin Queen of 1964 during the show. Her duties included cutting a ribbon of Confederate bills to open the show and passing out souvenir wooden nickels. Her



Miss Sandra Ard, coin queen at the Middle Georgia show, in her costume of Confederate bills and wooden nickels. Her crown contained shiny cents in lieu of gold, but the smile was strictly Sandra's own.

official costume featured a full skirt made of three hundred Confederate bills and a blouse covered with souvenir wooden nickels. Her crown contained bright new cents. Over 1,500 people registered, with an estimated 500 more visiting the bourse and exhibits without signing, at the show held at the Dempsey Motor Hotel in downtown Macon. Sponsors were the **Middle Georgia Coin Club**, **Blue Ridge Numismatic Association**, **Warner Robins Coin Club**, **Hawkinsville Coin Club** and **Milledgeville Coin Club**. The educational program, attended by over 400 people, included a talk on biblical coins by Jim Pheagin, nine showings of the film "A Trip Through the Denver Mint," and the showing of A.N.A. slides of Confederate Currency. Among the fifty-two dealers who had bourse tables were representatives of California, and Canada, and G. G. Finnell of Orlando,

Fla., conducted the two auction sessions. Junior members operated a coffee and snack table and were available to run errands. Co-chairmen of the event were Frank Howard and Conrad B. McNair, both of Macon. Newly elected officers of **Middle Georgia Coin Club** are: President Conrad B. McNair; Vice Presidents Byrne McGhee and Howard Sappe; Treasurer Mrs. Albert Jackson; Secretary Frank E. Howard; and Governors Ferrell Ard and Pete Bikus. Our 1965 Middle Georgia show is scheduled for the same location the last three days in January. — J. A. WILLIS, Publ. Chm.

The **Modesto-Turlock Coin Club** will hold its fifth annual Coin Carnival on June 21 in the auditorium of the Turlock War Memorial. There will be an afternoon auction, a bourse of not less than eighteen dealers, and some of the best exhibits in California. Incidentally, most of the dealers at our previous shows have been better pleased than with longer shows in bigger communities. General chairman is Tom Taylor; Bob Swain will be in charge of the bourse; and Taylor and Chuck Berry will share the handling of exhibits. They may be contacted at the Club's P. O. Box 1917, Modesto, Calif. 95353. — C. C. BERRY, Pres.

Ninety-five members and guests set an attendance record at the March 9 meeting of **South Plains Coin Club** at the Garden & Arts Center in Lubbock. Much of the meeting was devoted to discussion of final plans for our annual show to be held the following weekend. Tom O'Donnell was commended for the excellent and well planned publicity he has given to the show. Our meetings are held the second Monday evening monthly, and we say, "Y'all come in this part of the U. S. A." — BOB MEDLAR

At its March meeting the **Newport County Coin Club** members enjoyed a talk and slides by Vice President Ralph Jaffee about his experiences in going through the Mexican Mint. He reported that the Mint Director afforded him great courtesy in the visit. Announcements were made about our Coin-a-Rama to be held May 23-24 at Hotel Viking in Newport, R. I. This is expected to be one of the largest shows to be held in southern New England. President Robert Brinton may be contacted at 131 Beacon St., Middletown, R. I. — CHARLES A. BENNETT, Sec.

Seventy-five members and guests at the February 12 meeting of the **Forty-Niner Coin Club** in Lynwood, Calif., enjoyed Bob Carter's talk on altered coins. Showing photos of coins that had been altered and explaining how it was done, he emphasized the need to beware of key coins that are offered at below market prices. He warned us against buying an expensive coin without examining it carefully outside of any holder, and against buying from unknown persons. A plaque of appreciation was presented to Carter for the talk. Among the exhibitors, Ernest Featherston won first, Robert Axelrod second, and Keith Webb third.

Alva Christensen was the speaker of the evening at the March 11 meeting in the Lynwood Recreation Center. One hundred members and guests enjoyed her humorous but revealing talk on experiences in a coin shop. She mentioned the person who has been collecting only

a year but goes into a coin store and tells the operator what he needs, what he can't get along without, and why he should buy from him. Program Chairman Ronald Thompson presented her with a speaker's plaque in appreciation. Thompson was appointed our representative to the Numismatic Association of Southern California. Elmer Hess took first place among the exhibitors, with Keith Webb second and Mel Kohl third. We welcome visitors to our meetings the second Wednesday monthly. — ANN M. HALL, Sec.

The **Ottawa Coin Club** held its 130th meeting on February 17 at the Public Archives of Canada with twenty-one in attendance. C. F. Rowe, a guest from St. Johns, showed us some beautiful examples of Newfoundland paper money dating from as early as the 1850's. A. E. H. Petrie related the story of the famous Roman Imperial gold medallion that depicts on its reverse the welcome of Emperor Constantinus Chlorus at the gates of London in 293 A.D. This piece is part of a find at Arras, France, in 1922, most of which was melted down soon thereafter. The piece which survived, known as the Arras Medallion, was declared a National Monument by the French government, being the only numismatic object so honored. On display was a gilt replica of it from the New York Metropolitan Museum. Using the Archives Museum's replica and specimen exhibits for illustration, Petrie spoke on paper money, explaining that printed paper money originated in China during the year 1024; in Europe in 1666 in Sweden; while Canada introduced it to the Western Hemisphere at Quebec in 1685. Copies of playing card money dated 1714, along with a variety of later Canadian currency, helped point up the development of Canada's money and economy since the late Seventeenth Century.

A special feature of the March 16 meeting, taking as its starting point the Dr. W. A. R. Mitchell 1907-1909 Antarctica Medal, was the reading of his narrative entitled "With Shackleton to the Antarctic," originally published by A. E. H. Petrie in *The Canadian Numismatic Journal* in April, 1958. Dr. Mitchell looked after medical and surgical requirements of the second expedition to enter the Antarctic Continent during the heroic age of polar exploration, and his account proved a memorable and moving experience to us. Afterwards our honored member commented on some fifty original slides showing Sir Ernest Shackleton's 1907-1909 expedition into the South Polar regions. Dr. Mitchell's Antarctica Medal thus became our key to an era of "iron men and wooden ships," as Club President Reade remarked, when the incredible progress of modern science was just beginning to gather momentum. — A. E. H. PETRIE, Sec.-Treas.

At the first meeting in 1964 the entire slate of officers of **Pittsburgh Numismatic Society** was voted into office, including President Robert S. Porter, Jr.; First Vice President Joseph B. Breyer; Second Vice President Charles Erb; Secretary Ed. L. Oschman; and Sergeant-at-Arms Paul Birkel, John Nesky and Stan Shablousky. We recognize President Porter as a gentleman and a true numismatist who received his quarter century membership pin from the A.N.A. several years ago. Exhibits, which were discussed by the exhibitors, were as follows: Cuban

and Puerto Rican coins, including patterns, by Ray Byrnes; small size notes from 1928 to date by Alex Maletich; and a set of Peace dollars and obsolete paper money by Ray Rennick. Announcement was made that this Society will be host to the Penn-Ohio fall show at the Webster Hall Hotel in Pittsburgh on September 18-20. — JIM DEMARK, Corr. Sec.

Seventy members and guests of Middle Georgia Coin Club enjoyed A.N.A. slides of state banknote engravings at the March 5 meeting, and welcomed four new members into the Club. Howard Sappe, our chairman for National Coin Week, gave a progress report on plans, which include two large club exhibits at downtown Macon banks and several others by individual members in outlying banks. The individual exhibits will



Middle Georgia Coin Club officers are, l. to r., front row, Governor Ferrell Ard, Vice Presidents Howard Sappe and Byrne McGee; back row, President Conrad McNair, Treasurer Mrs. Albert Jackson, Secretary Frank Howard.

be judged for awards by the Club. Other members assisting in this activity include Frank Howard, Conrad McNair, Ferrell Ard, Russell Findley, Pete Bikus and J. A. Willis. — J. A. WILLIS, Publ.

The Jacksonville (Fla.) Coin Club announces that its second annual show will be held October 30-November 1, and that bourse tables will be \$35 each. — ELAINE KNADLE, Sec.

The Greater Little Rock Coin Club will be host to the Arkansas Numismatic Society's sixteenth annual convention to be held at the Lafayette Hotel in Little Rock on May 16-17. The Skyway, the spacious top floor of the Lafayette Hotel, has been reserved for this event. The show will feature a bourse, exhibits and a big auction, to begin at 7:30 Saturday evening. Exhibit classifications will be U. S. coins, U. S. paper money, foreign coins and paper money, gold, odd and curious money, and a best of show award. The highlight of the event will be the dedication of the Confederate and Southern States currency exhibit in the Old State Capitol building Saturday afternoon. Governor Faubus of the State of Arkansas plans to be present for this dedication. This collection was given

to the State by Harry B. Solsman of Memphis, Tenn. and the Society has raised money during the past year for its display. President Nina Willis of the Society has made plans for those interested to make a tour of the historic spots in Little Rock Saturday afternoon. It will end at the Old State Capitol Building in time for the Confederate display dedication. Requests for bourse table reservations should be sent promptly to Charles Weir, P. O. Box 2111, Little Rock, Ark. 72203. — FRANK HAMLIN, JR., Board Chm.

Judge Sawicki gave the talk of the evening on U. S. large cents at the February 12 meeting of Western Reserve Numismatic Club, A.N.A. LM No. 32, at the Statler-Hilton Hotel in Cleveland. His collection was a wonder to see, with most of the cents being uncirculated, and the experiences which he related about obtaining them were most interesting. Other exhibits included a group of medals which Mr. and Mrs. Wilson brought from Fort Wayne, Ind., in the hope of identifying. It turns out that they are dies of some very beautiful medals of Europe. Al Schafer showed engravings, cards, badges and medals of Lincoln. L. Freeman's exhibit was transportation tokens of Springfield, Ill., and Lincoln, Nebr., plus a gold centennial train medal from Germany. Otto Budde displayed for Harry Orr a beautiful set of Colonial Washington pieces. Other exhibitors included Joe Lucas, Grapatin, Chilcote and Fred Rosenthal.

At the March 11 meeting, Vice President Rudy Leuckart spoke of the success of the Greater Cleveland coin show, at which 2,200 visitors saw many nice displays. Joe Lukas showed two medals of Napoleon, one of them having a three-hundred word history on the reverse. Al Schafer exhibited a half dozen store cards which were replicas of large gold coins. R. T. McNamara, speaker of the evening, used slides and displayed actual coins to present his subject of early Greek coinage. He took us from about 500 B.C., when the reverses of coins showed the imprint of the punch, to the finest type of Greek coins that showed the names of cities, mint masters and much other information in their beautiful designs. — FRED N. HAHLEN, Sec.

The Big Spring Coin Club held its March 12 meeting at the Crawford Hotel with forty-five members, investors, "horse traders" and a dozen visitors in attendance. Pictures and information about the display to be borrowed from the Chase Manhattan Bank Money Museum for the third annual show were shown and discussed. It was decided to sponsor a "Junior" night at one or more of our regular meetings, at which junior members will make displays and give short talks for awards. Sgt. Victor Barlow, chairman for National Coin Week, reported that plans are well in hand, and that all three banks in Big Spring will provide facilities for members to make displays. A number of juniors are preparing to appear on television in behalf of N.C.W. We welcome visitors to our meetings the second Thursday evening monthly at the Crawford Hotel in Big Spring, Texas. — REFA BARLOW, Sec.

At the February meeting of Toronto Coin Club, held in the Royal York Hotel, approval was given to the design of a new Club crest entered by Mrs. Hazel

Munro. Plans were announced for the Club's 1964 Fall Rally, to be held October 17 in this hotel. Dealers were warned to reserve bourse tables soon, as the number available will be limited. The ONA will hold its semiannual meeting in conjunction with the rally, and will present a program of talks, and educational films to complement the rally events. Speaker at the meeting was member J. H. Mackenzie, whose fine talk was augmented by a display of medallions, notes and tokens of early Canadiana. As previously announced, the Nickel Monument Development Limited plans to erect a thirty-foot high model of a Canadian five cent piece in Sudbury. Funds will be raised by selling medallions struck in nickel and depicting the International Nickel Company works at Copper Cliff, with the crest of Sudbury on the other side and bearing the inscription "City of Sudbury, Canada, Nickel Capital of the World." The thirty-foot monument will be a replica of the 1951 commemorative five cent coin. — JOHN BANKY, Editor

"Stump the Experts" created a very spirited March 4 meeting in the Ohio Room of the Statler-Hilton Hotel for the Cleveland Coin Club A.N.A. No. 14890. Widely known numismatic authority Sidney Watkins was the moderator of the panel of experts consisting of Henry DuLaurence whose special forte is attribution of Greek and Roman coins; Carl DiFalco who operates the Downtown Coin Shop; Bill Halliwell of the coin and stamp shop bearing his name; Robert Kopas, an authority on odd and curious moneys of the world; Joe Lukas, widely known as "Unc Junk, Inc." at numerous coin shows; and Robert McNamara, outstanding medalist, designer and manufacturer, and general chairman of the 1964 A.N.A. convention in Cleveland. Typical questions were: In what country did coinage originate? What note of the United States portrayed the "First Family"? Does the finest art work appear on coins or medals, and when? A rare and unusual coin attributed was a square crown of 1693, known as the Klippe

Commemorative. It was distributed as a prize for rifle shooting during the festivities held at Dresden. In the four angles on each side are shown the arms of Saxony, Julich, Cleves, Berg, Palatinate of Saxony, Orlamunde, Brene and Pleisen. An electrol cap enclosed by the Garter appears on the obverse, with two crossed swords on the reverse within the wreath of Rue, and the inscription "He who evil thinks will by evil be destroyed." Many other coins were attributed and questions answered until time ran out, and we look forward with enthusiasm to another such session. We welcome visitors to our meetings held the first Wednesday evening monthly. — L. M. CADDY, Sec.

President Wayne Dennis welcomed eighty-nine members and guests to the March meeting of Southern Hub Coin Club. Program Chairman Foster Hall, with the aid of his wife, Ann, presented a Dr. I. Q. Quiz. A question was asked of a member selected at random and, if the correct answer was given, the member received a small prize. This unusual program was interesting and fun, and helped us learn some worthwhile things about the hobby. Grace Brainard received first prize for her display of the meeting, while Joe Goodyear received second at the hand of Display Chairman Joy Parrish. Other exhibitors included Minerva Axelrod, Gertrude Barth, B. B. Crow, Vena Crow and Virginia Dennis. A report of the recent NASC convention included the names of many of our members, such as these who were elected to offices: Karl Brainard, president; Walt Snyder, vice president; Ann Hall, recording secretary; Thelma Case, historian; and Foster Hall, board member. Wayne Dennis is editor of the *NASC Quarterly*. Southern Hub members who won exhibit trophies were Bob Axelrod, Thelma Case, Slim Dunbar, Edith Filitreau, Joe Goodyear, Joy Parrish and James Timothy. We welcome visitors to our meetings the second Sunday afternoon monthly at Lennox Women Hall, 4441 Lennox Blvd., Inglewood, Calif.

Executive Secretary's Report

Applications 51319-51615 as published in the March issue have been admitted to membership.

APPLICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP

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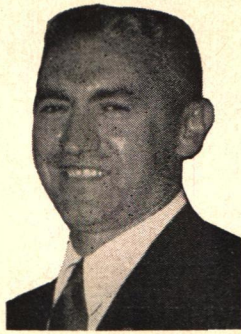
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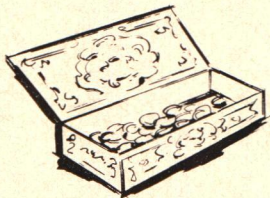


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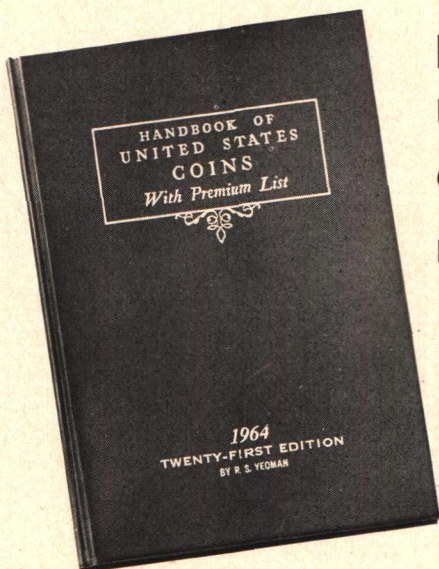
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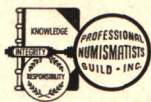
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84-P	1.35	1.60	1.85	2.25	3.00	55.00
85-P	1.35	1.60	1.85	2.00	35.00
86-P	1.35	1.60	1.85	2.00	35.00
87-88-P	1.35	1.60	1.75	30.00
89-P	1.35	1.60	2.00	35.00
90-P	1.65	1.90	2.15	2.65	3.00	60.00
91-P	1.65	2.15	2.65	4.50	7.00	120.00
92-P	3.25	5.50	11.00	15.00
94-P	55.00	80.00	110.00	145.00
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00-P	1.35	1.60	1.85	2.25	40.00
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23-D	2.25	3.25	4.50	8.00	15.00
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98-S	3.25	5.50	10.00	25.00	35.00	600.00
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00-S	3.50	6.50	11.00	22.00	30.00	450.00
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03-S	15.00	20.00	40.00	90.00
04-S	4.50	6.50	11.00	80.00
21-S	1.50	2.00	2.50	3.00	6.00
22-S	1.35	1.60	2.25	3.00	6.00
23-S	1.35	1.60	2.25	3.00	6.00
24-S	3.00	5.00	8.00	17.00	28.00
25-S	2.00	3.00	5.00	12.00	17.00	300.00
26-S	1.85	2.25	2.75	4.50	6.00
27-S	3.50	6.00	11.00	27.00
28-S	3.50	6.00	8.00	22.00
34-S	9.00	14.00	32.00	80.00
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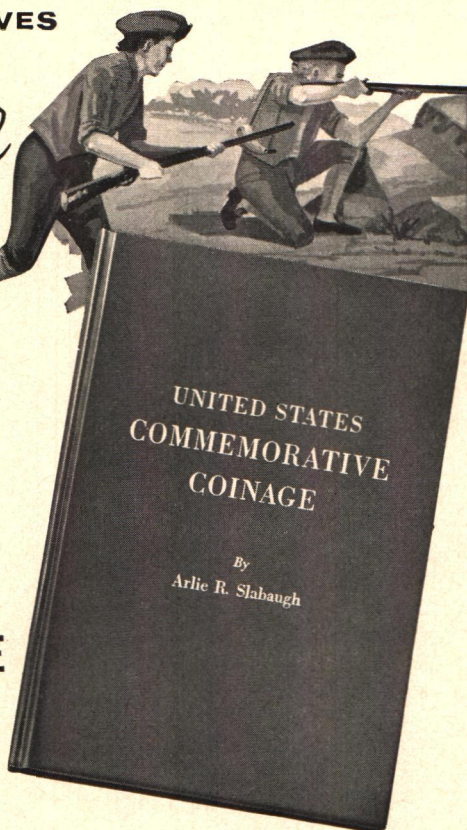
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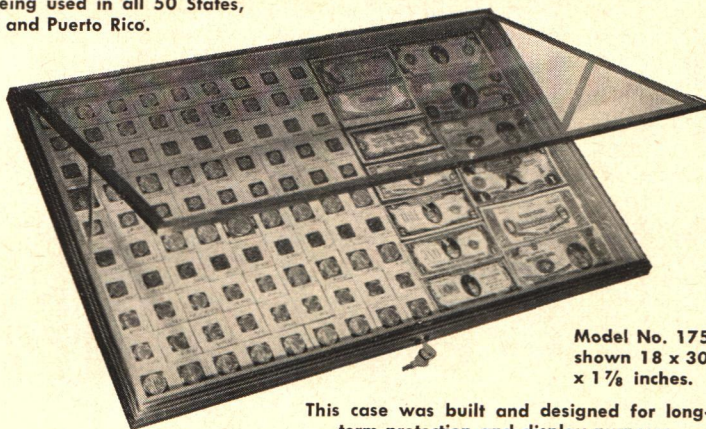
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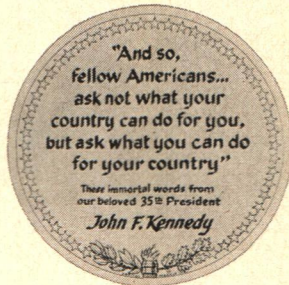
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1909-VDB90	1.00	1.25	1924-D	11.75	13.95	17.00	22.00	...	
1910	.10	.20	.30	.70	1924-S	.60	.70	1.30	2.50	...	
1910-S	4.00	4.50	5.50	...	1925	.05	.10	.20	.35	...	
1911	.10	.20	.50	...	1925-D&S	.20	.30	.75	1.20	...	
1911-D	1.25	1.65	3.50	5.50	1926-S	.15	.20	.50	1.00	...	
1911-S	8.75	10.75	13.75	...	1926-P	8.00	9.50	10.75	12.75	...	
1912	.15	.25	.55	1.25	1927-P&D	.10	.20	.35	.75	...	
1912-D	1.20	1.80	3.50	...	1927-S	.65	.80	1.50	2.50	...	
1912-S	4.75	5.95	7.95	...	1928-P&D	.10	.20	.35	.50	...	
1913	.15	.25	.50	.95	1928-S	.25	.40	.70	1.00	...	
1913-D	.90	1.85	2.25	...	1929-D-S	.15	.25	.40	...	...
1913-S	3.45	4.45	6.45	...	1930-D-S	.15	.25	.40	...	...
1914	.15	.25	.95	1.95	1931	.30	.50	.75	...	...
1914-S	4.95	5.15	6.75	8.75	1931-D	4.00	5.00	6.50	8.50	...	
1915	.40	.75	3.20	5.25	1931-S	...	...	54.00	57.50	...
1915-D	.75	1.00	1.75	...	1932-P&D	.95	1.75	2.50	3.50	...	
1915-S	4.00	4.95	5.95	6.95	1933	.75	1.00	1.35	
1916	.05	.10	.25	.35	1933-D	3.50	4.00	5.00	
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1916-S	.60	.70	1.20	1.75	37-38-3910	.20	.30	...	
1917	.05	.10	.25	.35	DATE		GOOD	V.G.	FINE	V.F.	X.F.
1917-D	.20	.30	.60	1.00	1934-D40	.60	.90	...
1917-S	.20	.20	.60	1.00	1935-D&S20	.30	.45	...
1918	.05	.10	.25	.35	1936-D20	.25	.35	...
1918-D&S	.20	.30	.60	1.20	1936-S40	.80	1.25	...
1919	.10	.15	.20	.35	1937-D&S10	.30	.40	...
1919-D&S	.15	.25	.45	.75	1938-D60	.90	1.45	...
1920	.05	.10	.25	.45	1938-S95	1.45	2.45	...
1920-D&S	.20	.30	.50	1.20	1939-D90	1.10	1.35	...
1921	.10	.20	.65	1.25	1939-S10	.20	.40	...
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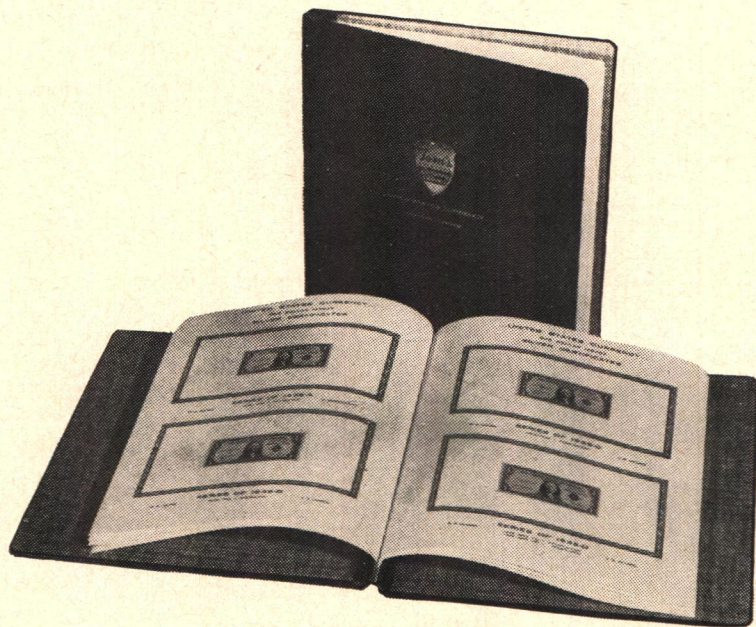
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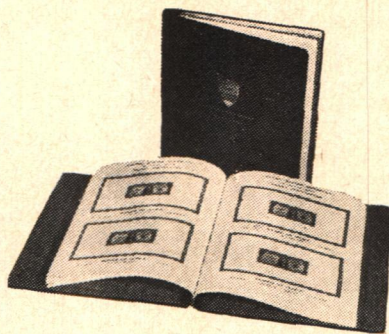
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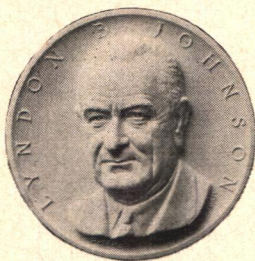
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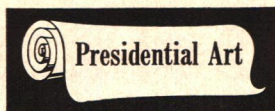
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1892	.40	.50	1.00	2.50	5.00
1893-1899	.30	.35	.50	1.50	3.00
1894	1.00	1.50	3.00	6.00	8.00
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1910-S	3.50	4.00	4.75	5.70	9.00
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1914-S	4.50	5.00	6.75	9.00	17.50
1915-S	3.40	3.85	4.75	6.25	10.00
1916-S50	.70	1.20	1.70	4.50
1921-S50	.70	1.40	4.00	10.00
1922-D	3.00	3.70	4.90	6.40	10.00
1923-S90	1.10	2.20	4.40	10.00
1924-D	11.00	13.00	18.00	21.75	34.00
1924-S50	.70	1.30	2.50	7.00
1925-S15	.25	.60	1.00	2.70
1926-S	4.00	4.70	6.70	7.50	14.50
1927-S30	.45	.95	1.45	4.70
193120	.30	.50	.75	1.00
1931-D	—	4.50	5.50	6.50	9.00
1931-S	30.00	34.00	38.00	43.50	50.00
193270	.90	1.20	1.50	2.50
1932-D65	.90	1.20	1.70	2.70
193360	.75	1.00	1.20	2.50
1933-D	3.00	3.50	4.00	4.70	6.50

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	G	VG	F	VF
1883 NC (XF \$2) ..	—	—	1.00	1.50
1897-190075	1.25	3.00	5.00
1901-12 (exc. 1909) ..	.25	.50	1.50	4.00
1909	1.00	1.25	2.00	5.00
1912-D	1.00	2.00	4.00	10.00
1913-S Type 1	—	4.50	6.50	9.00
13-D Ty. 1 (XF \$8) ..	—	2.00	3.00	5.00
1914-S	3.00	3.50	5.00	10.00
1915-S	6.00	8.50	13.00	25.00
1916-S-D each	1.50	2.50	3.50	10.00
1917-S	2.25	3.75	6.50	20.00
1917-D	2.50	3.95	8.00	27.50
1918-S	1.75	4.00	7.00	20.00
1918-D	2.50	3.75	8.00	30.00
1919-S	1.50	2.50	6.95	20.00
1919-D	3.10	4.95	10.00	37.50
1920-S	1.25	2.50	5.00	20.00
1920-D	1.50	2.50	6.00	30.00
1921-S	9.00	14.00	—	55.00
1923-S	1.00	2.00	3.75	14.50
1924-S	3.50	5.00	11.00	42.50
1924-D	1.00	2.75	4.60	17.50
1925-S	1.50	3.00	6.00	17.50
1925-D	4.00	6.00	13.50	50.00
1926-S	4.00	7.50	16.00	42.50
1926-D	2.00	3.50	7.50	25.00
1927-S	1.00	2.00	4.00	15.00
1928-S25	.35	.60	5.00
1929-S-D each25	.35	1.00	3.50

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	G	VG	F	VF
1930-S25	.50	1.00	3.00
1931-S	—	—	5.00	6.50
1937-D 3 Leg	—	—	42.50	47.50
1939-D	6.00	6.25	6.50	7.50
1938-S	3.50	4.00	4.50	5.00
1938-D	2.00	2.25	2.50	3.00
1939-S	1.25	1.35	1.50	2.50
1950-D	18.50	19.00	19.50	20.00

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1949-D	6.25	1955-S	15.00
1950-S	9.75	1955-D	17.50

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1916-S90	1.30	2.10	4.20	8.75
1917-S50	.80	1.60	2.65	8.50
1917-D	1.10	2.75	—	8.50	19.50
1918-S50	.80	1.86	3.50	10.00
1918-D .....	.65	1.35	3.25	5.40	17.00
1919-S	1.10	1.75	4.25	11.00	20.50
1919-D	1.60	2.25	4.50	16.00	29.50
1920-S .....	.50	.75	1.50	3.00	9.00
1920-D .....	.50	.75	1.60	4.50	10.25
1921-P	8.95	17.50	—	—	—
1921-D	11.50	18.95	—	—	—
1923-S .....	.70	1.05	2.15	5.25	14.50
1924-S .....	.50	.75	2.00	3.50	11.00
1924-D .....	.60	.90	3.00	5.00	12.00
1925-S .....	.55	.80	1.75	3.25	11.00
1925-D	—	2.45	8.00	18.50	37.00
1926-S	4.00	5.00	8.50	17.00	44.50
1926-D .....	.50	.75	1.85	4.00	12.00
1927-S .....	.50	.80	1.60	5.25	9.50
1927-D .....	.85	1.50	3.00	16.00	24.50
1928-S .....	.45	.70	1.25	2.25	8.00
1929-S .....	.50	.75	1.75	2.00	6.00
30-31-P ea. . . . .	.60	.85	1.50	3.00	7.00
1930-S	1.35	1.75	2.50	4.50	10.50
1931-S	1.60	2.00	2.75	5.00	10.50
1931-D	—	5.00	6.00	9.00	20.00
34-P-39-P ea. . . . .	.30	.50	.80	1.40	3.00
34-D-35-D ea.45	.75	1.25	2.25	4.50
35-39-D-S ea.30	.50	.85	1.50	2.75
40-45-PDS ea.	—	.45	.75	1.30	2.40

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	G	VG	F	VF	XF
1916-D	3.00	4.25	8.00	17.50	25.00
1917-S T1	3.95	7.50	17.50	35.00	50.00
1917-S T2	1.00	1.65	3.00	6.60	12.50
1917-D T1	4.00	6.60	11.00	25.00	45.00
1918-S	1.00	1.75	2.75	7.25	16.00
1919-S	2.00	3.75	16.00	37.50	75.00
1920-S	1.00	1.75	3.50	6.00	16.00
1921-S	2.75	4.00	12.50	35.00	72.50
1923-S	1.75	2.25	5.00	15.00	35.00
1927-S	1.10	1.40	2.20	5.00	11.00
1928-S	1.00	1.30	2.20	4.95	10.50
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	VG	F	VF	EF	AU
1917-S T1	4.00	6.00	9.00	15.00	20.00
1917-S T2	—	14.00	19.00	25.00	30.00
1918-S	4.00	6.00	8.00	16.00	22.00
1919-S	30.00	40.00	50.00	70.00	90.00
1920-S	3.00	6.00	8.00	16.00	20.00
1923-S	40.00	50.00	70.00	80.00	125.00
1924-S	—	7.00	9.00	16.00	20.00
1926-S	1.65	5.50	13.50	32.50	50.00
1927-S	5.00	15.00	30.00	100.00	200.00
1932-40-P	—	.75	1.25	2.00	3.50
1932-S	—	—	25.00	27.00	32.00
1932-D	—	—	35.00	47.50	85.00
1934-D .....	.50	1.95	5.00	10.00	20.00
1935-S .....	.50	1.00	1.75	3.50	6.00
1935-D .....	.50	1.50	5.00	Wtd.	Wtd.
1936-S .....	.50	1.25	2.25	4.40	7.50
1936-D .....	.75	2.75	17.00	50.00	70.00
1937-D .....	.50	1.00	1.50	2.00	3.00
1937-S	3.00	4.00	5.95	8.50	18.50
1938-S .....	.50	1.25	2.00	3.50	7.50
1939-D .....	.50	1.00	1.50	2.00	3.00
1939-S	1.00	1.50	2.50	4.00	7.50
1940-D	1.00	2.00	3.50	—	—

UNCIRCULATED COINS

	1¢	5¢	10¢	25¢	50¢
1927-S	37.50	150.00	60.00	POR	60.00
1928-S	28.00	40.00	35.00	22.50	65.00
1929-S	5.00	10.00	12.50	22.50	32.50
1930-S	5.00	40.00	37.50	23.50	—
1931-S	77.50	50.00	42.50	—	—
1932-P	16.00	—	—	10.00	—
1932-S	—	—	—	60.00	—
1932-D	16.00	—	—	185.00	—

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UNCIRCULATED COINS — (Cont.)

	1¢	5¢	10¢	25¢	50¢
1933-P	16.00	—	—	—	—
1933-S	—	—	—	—	45.00
1933-D	30.00	—	—	—	—
1934-P	3.50	10.00	6.50	10.00	—
1934-S (Sil. \$1 Brill. AU Nice \$35)	—	—	—	—	42.50
1934-D	13.50	15.00	17.50	60.00	13.50
1935-P	1.95	4.00	3.00	7.50	5.95
1935-S	6.00	6.50	6.00	25.00	36.50
1935-D	4.00	10.00	25.00	35.00	25.00
1936-P	1.00	3.00	1.50	6.00	5.00
1936-S	4.00	4.00	7.50	25.00	20.00
1936-D	2.50	3.00	18.95	175.00	10.00
1937-P	1.00	3.50	1.75	6.00	10.00
1937-S	2.50	4.00	5.00	52.50	20.00
1937-D	1.50	3.00	5.00	9.00	25.00
1938-P	2.00	3.25	2.50	42.50	15.00
1938-S	5.50	10.00	6.00	25.00	—
1938-D	3.50	10.00	6.50	—	75.00
1939-P	1.00	2.75	1.25	6.00	6.95
1939-S	1.75	17.50	5.00	20.00	10.00
1939-D	6.95	60.00	1.50	6.00	5.25
1940-P	1.00	1.00	1.50	10.00	4.50
1940-S	1.00	3.00	1.75	6.00	7.50
1940-D	1.75	1.65	1.75	32.50	—
1941-P	1.00	1.00	1.75	3.00	4.00
1941-S	1.75	2.00	1.50	5.00	6.00
1941-D	2.00	1.25	1.50	4.00	5.00
1942-P	.60	3.00	1.00	3.00	2.50
1942-S	5.00	3.75	1.50	12.50	5.00
1942-D	.60	18.00	1.25	2.50	4.00
1943-P	.50	2.00	1.00	1.50	2.25
1943-S	1.50	1.25	1.25	5.00	5.00
1943-D	.60	4.00	1.00	2.50	4.75
1944	.40	2.50	1.00	1.00	2.50
1944-S	.50	2.50	1.00	2.50	4.00
1944-D	.45	2.50	1.00	1.50	3.00
1945	.45	2.00	1.00	1.25	2.75
1945-S	.50	1.50	1.00	1.25	2.25
1945-D	.50	1.75	1.00	1.25	3.00
1946	.45	1.00	1.00	1.25	3.00
1946-S	.50	2.50	2.00	4.00	3.50
1946-D	.50	1.25	2.00	2.00	4.00
1947	1.00	1.00	3.00	1.00	4.00
1947-S	1.25	2.50	2.00	3.00	—
1947-D	.50	1.25	1.50	1.25	3.50
1948	.50	1.00	4.50	1.00	11.00
1948-S	1.25	3.00	2.00	1.50	—
1948-D	.50	2.50	2.00	1.25	6.50
1949	.85	1.20	12.00	15.00	40.00
1949-S	2.00	5.00	16.00	—	17.50
1949-D	.85	2.00	3.00	3.00	12.50
1950	.85	6.00	3.50	3.00	17.50
1950-S	1.00	—	12.50	3.00	—
1950-D	.50	22.50	1.50	1.00	10.00
1951	.50	2.00	2.35	1.00	6.00
1951-S	1.60	7.00	10.00	4.50	9.00
1951-D	.30	2.50	1.50	1.00	6.00
1952	.60	1.00	1.50	1.00	3.00
1952-S	1.00	1.75	4.00	2.00	5.00
1950-D	.25	4.00	.60	1.00	2.50
1953	.35	.75	2.00	3.00	10.00
1953-S	1.00	1.50	1.50	1.65	3.50
1953-D	.25	.60	.75	1.00	2.00
1954	1.00	.60	.40	.75	1.75
1954-S	.70	1.00	1.25	1.50	2.50
1954-D	.20	.50	.50	1.50	1.50
1955-P	.20	3.75	3.00	1.75	4.95

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	1¢	5¢	10¢	25¢	50¢
1955-S	1.00	—	2.00	—	—
1955-D	.20	1.00	2.00	4.50	—
1956	.15	.45	.30	.60	2.25
1956-D	.15	.40	.30	1.00	—
1957	.15	.50	.25	.50	1.60
1957-D	.10	.25	.20	.50	1.25
1958	.20	1.00	1.00	1.50	2.00
1958-D	.10	.25	.20	.50	1.25
1959	.15	.60	.30	.50	1.25
1959-D	.15	.20	.20	.50	1.50
1960	.15	.20	.30	.50	1.25
1960-D	.15	.20	.20	.50	1.50
1961	.10	.20	.40	.50	1.25
1961-D	.10	.20	.20	.50	1.25
1962	.10	.20	.20	.50	1.25
1962-D	.10	.20	.20	.50	1.20
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1882	2.75	32.50	4.00	2.00
1883	17.50	30.00	2.00	—
1884	—	45.00	2.00	—
1885	—	—	2.00	2.00
1886	—	—	—	2.00
1887	20.00	—	—	2.00
1888	—	—	4.00	—
1890	10.00	20.00	—	5.00
1891	—	20.00	—	6.00
1892	350.00	42.50	—	—
1894	42.50	—	25.00	250.00
1895	—	—	75.00	—
1896	100.00	—	15.00	—
1897	10.00	—	15.00	—
1898	28.50	—	—	—
1899	37.50	—	—	42.50
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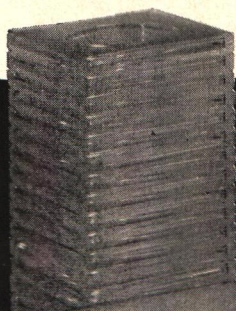
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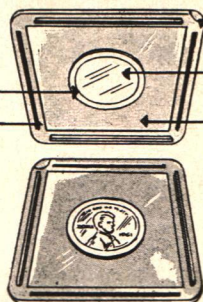


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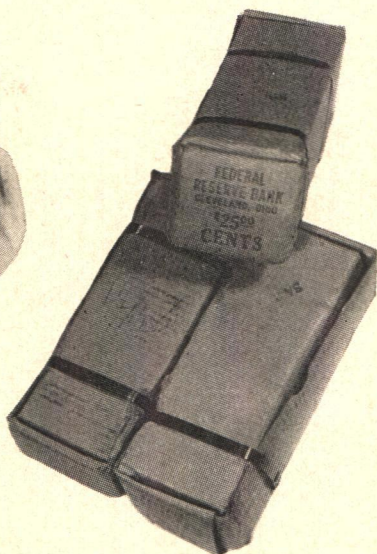
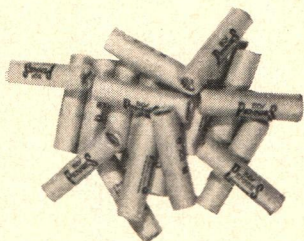
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1850-C Ext. Fine	150.00
1851 Ext. Fine	32.00
1851-D V. Fine	150.00
1851-C V. Fine	110.00
1852-O Ext. Fine	55.00
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1845-D V. Fine	125.00
1847-C V. Fine	100.00
1850-C V. Fine	120.00
1852-D V. Fine	100.00
1853-C V. Fine	120.00
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1856-O V. Fine	70.00
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1862 Ext. Fine	170.00

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1892-O Prac. Unc.	60.00
1893-O Prac. Unc.	65.00
1893-CC Prac. Unc.	95.00
1894 Uncirculated	35.00
1894-O Ext. Fine	35.00
1895 Ext. Fine	30.00
1896 Prac. Unc.	33.00
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1898 Ext. Fine	30.00
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1879-CC Ext. Fine	175.00
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1921 Alabama Plain	50.00	1933-D Oregon	18.00
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1939-P-D-S Arkansas	375.00	1920 Pilgrim	10.00
1936 Bay Bridge, San Francisco	35.00	1921 Pilgrim	22.00
Boone, for type	12.00	1936 Rhode Island	21.00
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1938-P-D-S Boone	375.00	1926 Sesqui	20.00
1936 Bridgeport	35.00	1935 Spanish Trail	275.00
1925-S California	30.00	1925 Stone Mountain	7.00
1936 Cincinnati, for type	175.00	1934 Texas	17.50
1936-P-D-S Cincinnati	500.00	1935-P-D-S Texas	45.00
1936 Cleveland	27.00	1936-P-D-S Texas	45.00
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1936 Lynchburg	50.00	1936 York	30.00
1920 Maine	30.00	Norse Thick	12.00
1934 Maryland	55.00	Norse Thin	40.00
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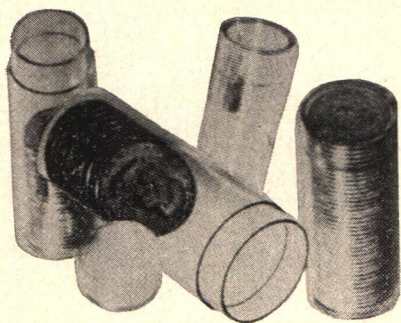
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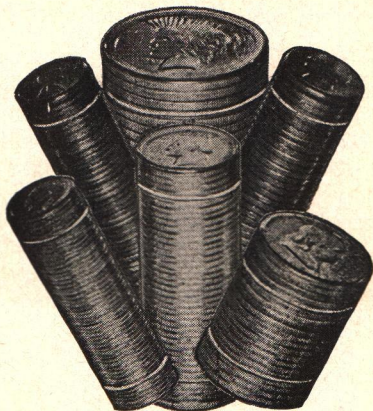
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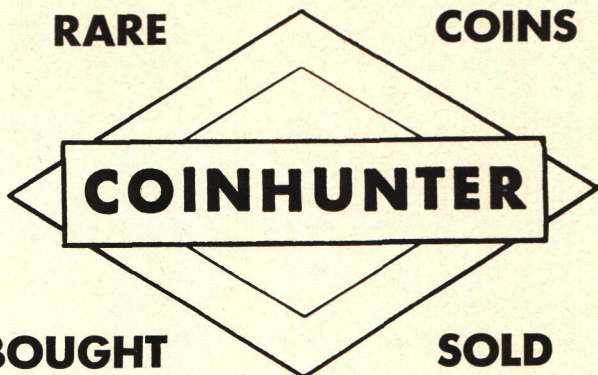
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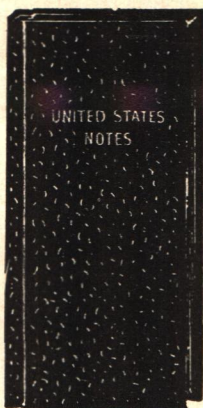
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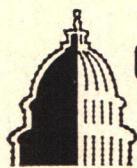
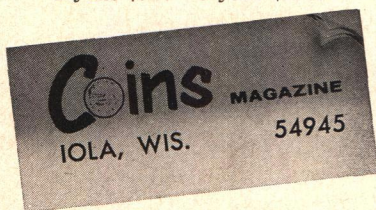
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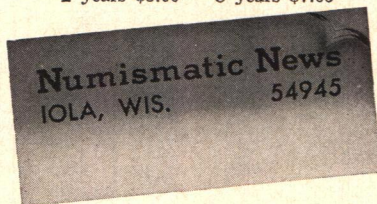
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